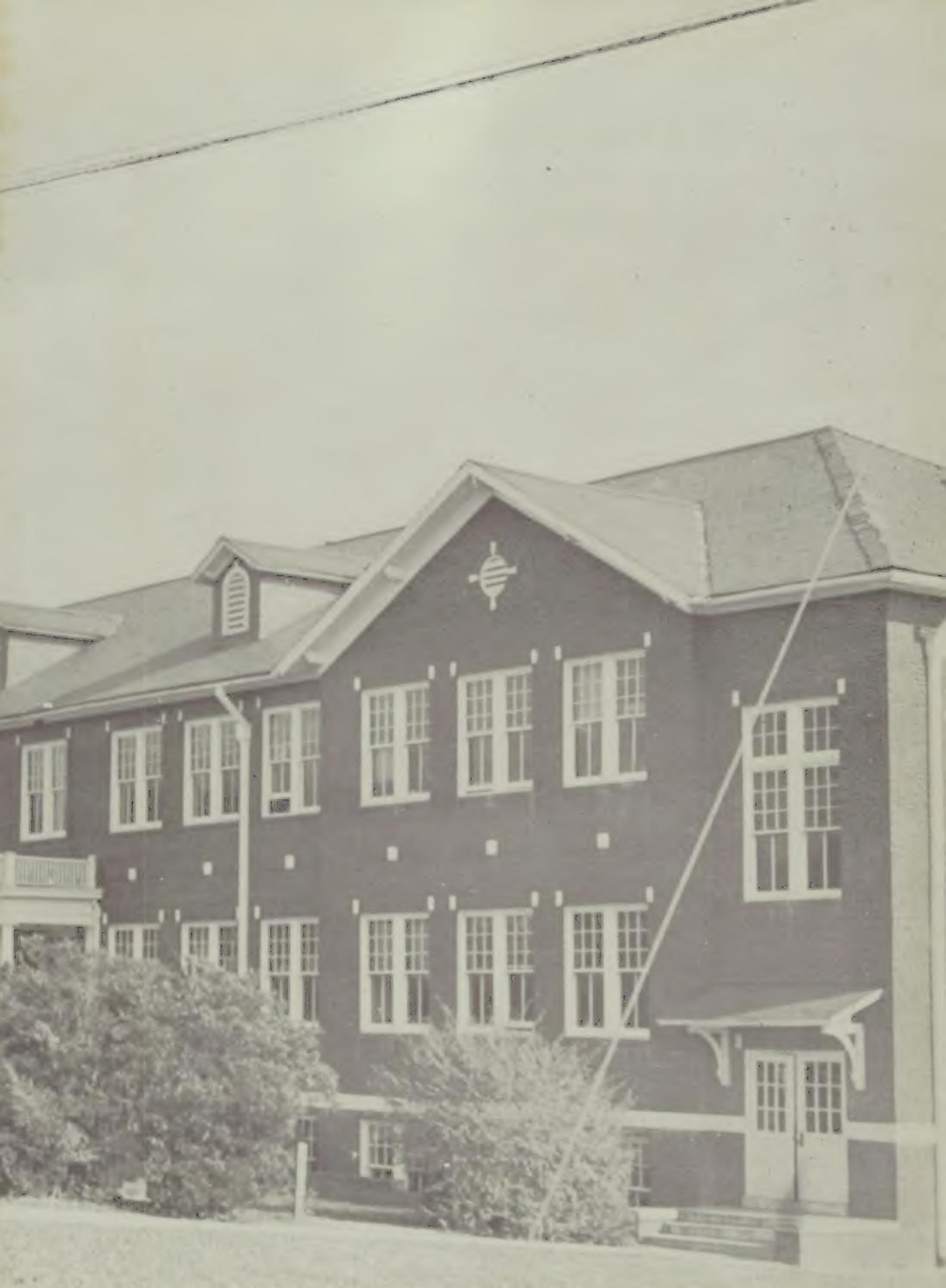
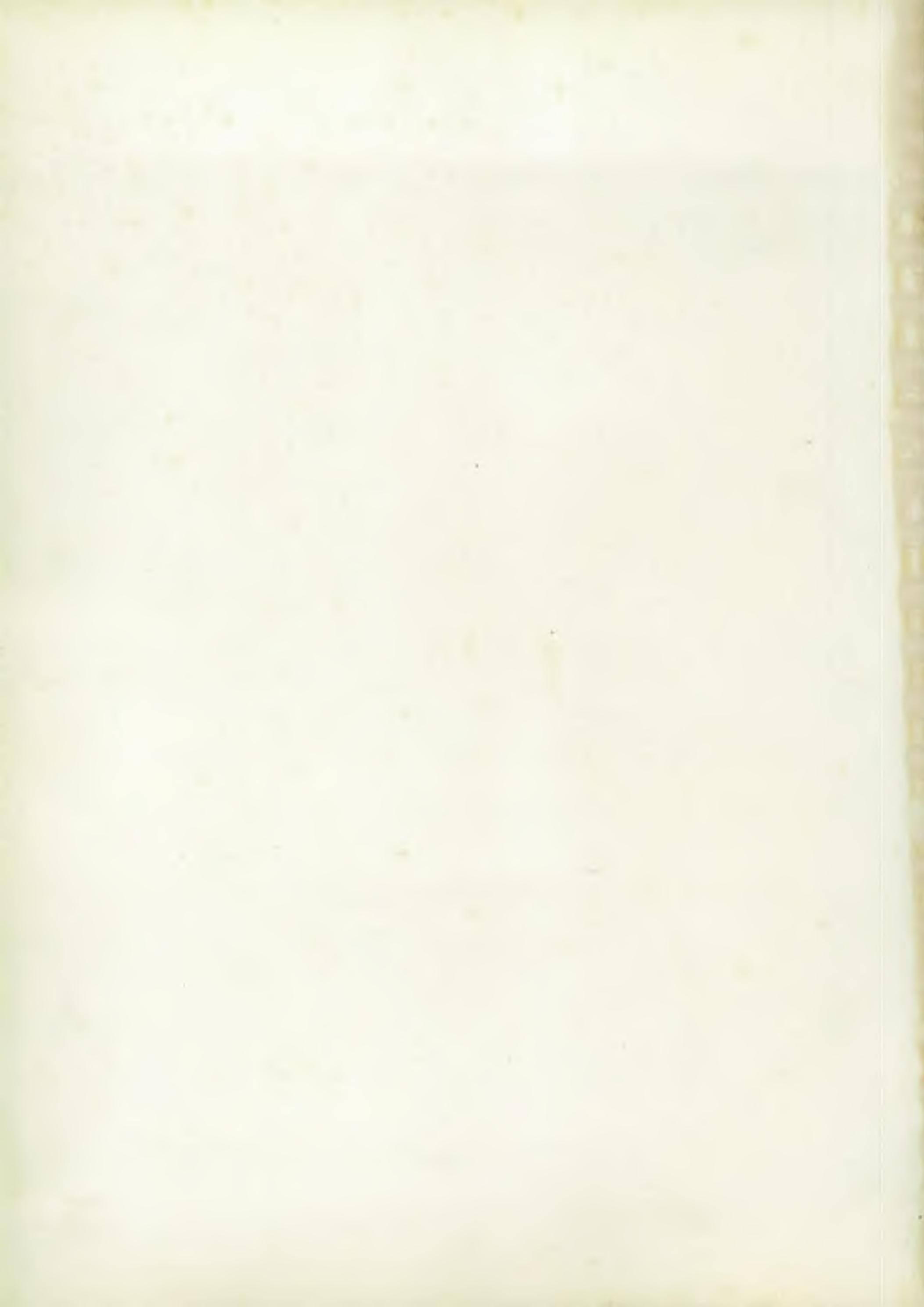


1956

THE MOCKSVILLIAN







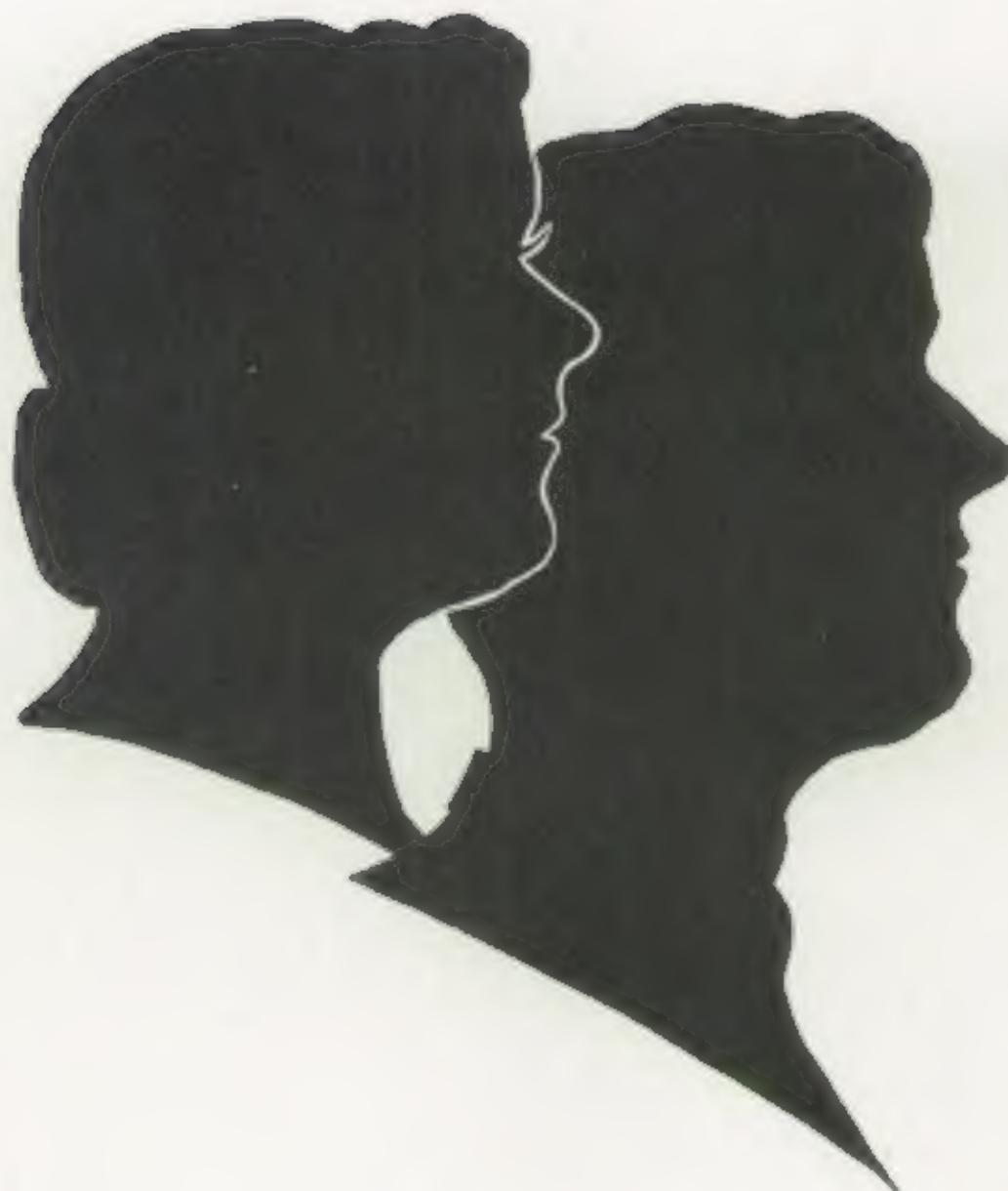


The
MOCKSVILLIAN
of 1956

Published by the
Senior Class
of
Mocksville High School
Mocksville, North Carolina

Editor-in-Chief - Henry Shull
Business Manager - Gaither Sanford





Dedication

To you, our parents, whose loyalty and guidance have helped us to reach our goal of graduation, whose encouragement and love have sustained us at all times, we the Seniors gratefully dedicate this **MOCKSVILLIAN** of 1956.



In Memory of

MOCKSVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

Mocksville, North Carolina

Memories:

Bells -- 8:30, 12:30 and 3:00

Lunch Line

Study Hall

Homework

Junior-Senior Banquet

Friends -- Students and Teachers

Ball Games -- Pep Rallies

Clubs, Parties and Food



LEFT TO RIGHT: Curtis Price, Superintendent; J. B. Cain, Chairman; G. N. Ward, Vice-Chairman; Charles F. Bahnsen; S. W. Furches, W. L. Ward, Jr., G. H. C. Shutt.

TO OUR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS AND DAVIS COUNTY BOARD
OF EDUCATION:

We are grateful for their efforts in obtaining for us a new consolidated high school for Davis County.
We realize that they have done this because of their interest in every student in Davis County. To them,
we, the Seniors of 1956, dedicate this page.



MISS MARTIN
Science



MR. PEELER
General Business
Physical Education



MISS WALL
English



MRS. CALHOUN
Social Studies

High School



MRS. CRENSHAW
French
Librarian



MR. FARTHING
Principal
Latin



MISS BRUMFIELD
English

Faculty



MR. BOOSE
Math



MISS GREENE
Home Economics



MR. RANDALL
Agriculture



MRS. WAGNER
Commercial

Elementary Faculty



MISS BLANCHE BROWN
1st Grade



MISS EULALIA BRANDON
1st Grade



MRS. RUTH ARNOLD
1st Grade



MRS. COLE TOMLINSON
2nd Grade



MRS. CURTIS PRICE
2nd Grade



MRS. C. M. VORIS
2nd Grade



MRS. FLAKE HAYES
3rd Grade



MRS. ELIZABETH LEGRAND
4th Grade



MRS. C. L. FARTHING
4th Grade



MRS. JOHN DURHAM
5th Grade



MRS. GEORGE SHUTT
5th and 6th Grades



MISS MABEL CHAFFIN
6th Grade



MRS. DOROTHY CLINARD
6th Grade



LEONARD S. CROTTTS
7th Grade



MONTIE POTTER
7th Grade



MRS. ERMA SCARLETTE
7th Grade



HAROLD CALHOUN
8th Grade



JAMES W. WALL
8th Grade

NOT PICTURED: Miss Clayton Brown, Elementary Principal, 3rd Grade; Mrs. Maude Hudson, 3rd Grade; Mrs. Zeh, 5th Grade.



Seniors

Class Flower,
Red Rose

Class Color,
Mint Green
and
White

CLASS MOTTO

"A man's reach should exceed his
grasp, or what's a heaven for?"



Donnie Lakey
MASCOT

Barbara Tutterow
MASCOT



SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Julia Allen, Secretary; Betty Jo Foster, Treasurer; Johnny Etchinson, Vice-President;
Henry Shutt, President.

Ser



DONALD GASTON ALLEN

His face was of that insipidly pleasing kind which women call "not bad looking".

4-H 1,2,3,4; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4.



JULIA ALLEN

"The apple of his eye."
Annual Staff 4; Beta Club 3,4, Office 4; Commercial Club 3,4; Hi-Life Staff 4; Class Officer 3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; F.H.A. Club 1, 4; Officer 4; 4-H Club 1,2,3, Officer 3; Homecoming Attendant 4; Superlative 4.



TENNYSON ANDERSON

"Hope to the end."

4-H 1,2,3,4; Bus Driver 2,3.



NANCY CAROLYN BATES

"Little things affect little minds."
4-H 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Hi-Life 3.



LILLIE CHRISTINE BEAUCHAMP

"Be not careless in deeds, nor confused in words, nor rambling in thoughts."

Glee Club 1; Library Staff 1; 4-H Club 1,2,3,4, Officer 4; Beta Club 3,4, Officer 4; Bus Driver 3,4; Office Assistant 3,4; Junior Play.



MARY ERMON BEAUCHAMP

"A still, small voice."

4-H Club 1,2,3,4; Hi-Life Staff 4.



SARAH COLEEN BLACKWELDER
"Thought alone is eternal."
4-H 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. 4; Lunchroom
Staff 2,3.



MARY ALICE BOGER
"It is easier not to speak a word at all than to speak more than we should."
4-H Club 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2,
3,4; Hi-Life Staff 4; F.H.A. 1.



NANCY JEANETTE BUTNER
"Life is very short and uncertain,
let us spend it as well as we can."
4-H Club 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. 1,4;
Hi-Life Staff 3,4; Commercial Club
3,4, Officer 4.



REBECCA ANN CANTER
"As good natured a soul as e'er trod
on shoe leather."
4-H 1,2,3,4.



ABNER MORGAN CHAFFIN
"A man should be upright, not be
kept upright."
4-H 1,2,3,4; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Bus
Driver 4; Basketball 2,3,4; Base-
ball 3; Monogram Club 2,3,4.



HAZEL ANNETTE CLEMENT
"The anger of lovers renews the
strength of love."
Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Monogram Club
2,3,4; Cheerleader 2,3; 4-H 1,4;
F.H.A. 3; Homecoming Representa-
tive 3.

Sen



LYNDA JEAN CRAWFORD

"Her friends-there are many! Her enemies-are there any?"
Morven High School 1; Monroe High School 2; F.H.A. 3,4, Officer 4; Glee Club 3,4; Hi-Life 3,4; 4-H 3,4; Beta Club 3,4; Annual Staff 4; Marshal 3; Junior Play; Basketball 3,4; Girls' State Representative 3.



MELVER LEE CULLER

"Let us eat and drink; for tomorrow we shall die."
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Lunchroom 2,4;
Bus Driver 3.



BETTY LOU EDWARDS

"Honesty is the best policy."
Beta Club 3,4; Girls' State Representative 3; 4-H Club 2,3,4; Library Staff 1,2,3,4; Marshal 3, Co-Chief; Superlative 4; Hi-Life Staff 3,4, Editor 4.



JOHN WALTER ETCHISON

"Is not life a hundred times too short for us to bore ourselves?"
F.F.A. 2,4; 4-H 2,3,4, Officer 4; Glee Club 4; Beta Club 3,4; Marshal 3; Hi-Life Staff 3; Class Officer 2,4; Halloween King Candidate 1.



BETTY JO FOSTER

"The sweetest soul that ever looked with human eyes."
4-H 1,2; Banquet Representative 1; Halloween Queen 1; Library Staff 4; Hi-Life Staff 4; Commercial Club 4; Class Officer 4.



KATHLEEN CHRYSSTAL GAITHER
"Patience is the best remedy for every trouble."

Commercial Club 3,4; Hi-Life Staff 3,4; F.H.A. 2,3; Library Assistant 3,4; Glee Club 1.



MARY JO ANN GAITHER
"A hard beginning maketh a good ending."
4-H 1,4; Library Staff 4; F.H.A. 1,2.



MARSHALL EVERETTE GLASSCOCK
"To do a great right, do a little wrong."
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Lunchroom Staff 3,4.



VIOLET JUNE GREEN
"A good heart's worth gold."
Glee Club 1, 4; Girls' Chorus 1;
F.H.A. 1; Beta Club 3,4; Library
Staff 4; 4-H 1.



FLOYD EUGENE GREEN
"Let the world slip; we shall ne're be younger."
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; 4-H 3,4; Bus Driver 2,3; Football 4; Baseball 3.



PEGGY DEAN HARRIS
"Hope and be happy that all's for the best."
F.H.A. 4; 4-H 1,2,3,4.



KENNETH WAYNE HOWELL
"An all-around good sport."
Baseball 1,2,3,4; Football 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Monogram Club 1, 2,3,4; 4-H 1,2,3; Student Council Representative 3,4; Superlative 4.

Sen



YVONNE HUTCHINS

"I shall endeavor to enliven mortality with art, and to temper art with mortality."
4-H 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4;
Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Girls' Chorus
1,2; Hi-Life Staff 3,4; Library Staff
4; Lunchroom Staff 2; Beta Club
3,4; Annual Staff 4; Bus Driver 3,
4; Commercial Club 4.



LOUISE KEATON

"In her tongue the law of kindness."
4-H 1.



JAMES EDWARD KELLY, JR.

"The fundamental fault of the female character is that it has no sense of justice."
4-H 1; Baseball 1,2,3; Football 1,
2,3,4, Co-Captain; Monogram Club
1,2,3,4, Officer; Basketball 2,3;
Glee Club 3,4, Officer; Student
Council Representative 3; Annual
Staff 4.



WILLIAM ROBERT KIGER

"Why be serious, let's be happy."
Beta Club 3,4; Hi-Life Staff 4; Bus
Driver 4; Student Council 4.



MARЦIA AILENE LAGLE

"A soft answer turneth away wrath."
Cool Springs 1; 4-H 1,2,3,4; F.H.
A. 1,4; Office Assistant 4; Com-
mercial Club 4.



HELEN VIRGINIA LAIRD

"A good name is better than precious
ointment."
4-H 1,4; Glee Club 1,2,4; F.H.A.
1,4; Beta Club.

iors



JAMES ROBERT MABE
"We grant, although he had much
wit, he was very shy of using it."
F.H.A. 1,2,3; Bus Driver 3,4.



SARAH EDYTHE MARSHALL
"I must have a little fun."
4-H 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. 1,2; Library
Staff 3.



DORIS CAROLYN McDANIEL
"I agree with no man's opinion I have
some of my own."
F. H. A. 1,2,3; Glee Club 1,3,4;
Monogram Club 4; Beta Club 3,4;
Basketball 2,3,4; 4-H 1,2,3; Li-
brary Staff 3; Annual Staff 4.



JEAN CAROL MILLER
"Better late than never."
Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Monogram
Club 1,2,3,4; 4-H 1,2,3; F.H.A.
3,4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Home-
coming Queen 4; Library Staff 4.



BILLY O'NEIL
"What now if the sky were to fall?"
F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H 1,2,3,4.



LINDA JANE OWINGS
"All, as they say, that glitters is not
gold."
F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4;
Beta Club 3,4; Library Staff 4; Glee
Club 4; Basketball 2,3,4; Lunch-
room Staff 1.



ANNE CAROLYN REAVIS
"It is better to know nothing than
to know what ain't so."
Hi-Life Staff 3,4; Office Assistant
3; Lunchroom Staff 1,4; F.H.A. 1,
2.



NANCY ELIZABETH REAVIS
"Happiness is a perfume you cannot
pour on others without getting a few
drops on yourself."
F.H.A. 1,2,3; Glee Club 1,3,4;
Beta Club 3,4; 4-H Club 1,2,3,4;
Library Staff 1,2; Annual Staff 1,
2; Office Assistant 3; Hi-Life Staff
2,3,4; Junior Play.



HOMER RAY REEVES
"From the crown of his head to the
sole of his foot he is all mirth."
F.F.A. 1,2,3; Lunchroom Staff 4;
4-H 1,2.



MOLLIE ANNE RICHARDSON
"Make yourself necessary to some-
body."
Beta Club 3,4, Officer 4; Mono-
gram Club 3,4; Glee Club 1,3,4;
Commercial Club 3,4, Officer 3,
4; F.H.A. 1,4, Officer 4; 4-H 4;
Office Assistant 4; Hi-Life Staff 4;
Annual Staff 4; Basketball 2,3.



SHELBY JEAN RICHARDSON
"Nothing is impossible to a willing
heart."
Beta Club 3,4; Commercial Club 4;
Hi-Life Staff 4; Library Staff 3; Of-
fice Assistant 4.



ONA GREY ROBERTSON
"Nature has given us two ears, but
only one mouth."
Glee Club 1,2; 4-H 1,2,3,4; F.H.
A. 4; Hi-Life Staff 4; Annual Staff
4.



LASH GAITHER SANFORD, JR.
"Why take life serious, you'll never
get out of it alive?"
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Officer 4;
Class Officer 1,3; Student Council
2,3; Marshal 3; Bus Driver 3,4;
Annual Staff 4; Junior Play; Beta
Club 3,4; Superlative; Hi-Life 1,
2,3,4; Boys' State Rep. 3.



WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN
SELL, JR.

"Hang sorrow! Care will kill a cat,
and therefore let's be merry."
Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Co-Captain 4;
Basketball 1,2,3,4; Monogram Club
1,2,3,4; Junior Play; 4-H 1,2,3,
4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Junior-Senior
Representative 1; Halloween
King 3; President of Student Council
4; Hi-Life Staff 4.



BONNIE LOU SHAW
"A beautiful face with gladness
overspread."
Harmony High School 1; 4-H 3,4;
F.H.A. 3,4; Superlative 4.



ALTON JACKSON SHEEK
"The more the merrier."
Football 4; Basketball 2,3,4; Base-
ball 1,2,3,4; Monogram Club 1,2,
3,4; 4-H 1,2,3,4; Beta Club 3,4;
Marshal 3; Annual Staff 4; Glee
Club 4; Junior Play.



GEORGE HENRY CLAY SHUTT III
"High aims form high characters."
Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,
4; Monogram Club 1,2,3,4, Officer
4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4, Officer 2,4;
Hi-Life Staff 1,2,3,4; Student Coun-
cil 1,4, Officer 4; Beta Club 3,4,
Officer 4; Marshal 3; Class Officer
2,4; Annual Staff 4; Rep. to Junior
-Senior 2; Junior Play.



JANICE INEZ SMITH
"She is a dear and true industrious
friend."
4-H 1, 4; F. H. A. 1, 4.

Sen



JOAN CAROL SMITH
"A light heart lives long."
F.H.A. 3; 4-H 1,2,3,4; Glee Club
1,2,3,4.



JOHN THOMAS SMITH, JR.
"Too much study is a dangerous
thing."
4-H 1,2,3,4; Officer; Monogram
Club 2,3,4; Football 2,3; Halloween
King Candidate 4; Superlative 4.



PATRICIA ANN SMITH
"I believe that in the end truth will
conquer."
Farmington 1,2; Beta Club 3,4;
Commercial Club 3,4; Library Staff
1,2; F.H.A. 1; Junior Play.



BOBBY TALBERT
"Remember that time is money."
4-H 1,2,3,4; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4.



PATTY COLEEN TAYLOR
"A smile is always in place."
Basketball 2,3,4; F.H.A. 3; Hallo-
ween Candidate 3; 4-H 1,2; Ban-
quet Representative 2; Superlative 4;
Annual Staff 4.



HARRIET RUTH TUTTEROW
"To act is easy; to think is hard."
Glee Club 1,2,3,4; 4-H 1,2,3,4;
F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Beta Club 3,4; Hi-
Life 2; Student Council 1.



BAILEY ROSE WALKER

"A rare good fellow in every way."
4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4;
Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Halloween
King Candidate 2.



RACHEL GAIL WALKER

"A quiet and gentle nature has she."
F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Officer 3; 4-H
1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1; Beta Club
3, 4; Hi-Life Staff 4; Annual Staff
4; Superlative 4.



MARTHA ROSE WATERS

"Tis better to have loved and lost,
than never to have loved at all."
Beta Club 3, 4; Monogram Club 4;
Superlative 4; Basketball 1, 3; 4-H
1, 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Hi-Life
Staff 3; F.H.A. 3; Glee Club 1,
2, 3, 4; Student Council Rep. 1, 2;
Homecoming Rep. 3.



LOIS MAE WHITAKER

"So absolutely good is truth, truth
never hurts the teller."
4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1.



TOMMY WHITAKER

"Do and hope."
F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4.



ROBBIE GERALDINE WHITE

"Time does not become sacred to us
until we have lived it."
4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; Lunchroom Staff 2, 3.



ROY GRADY WHITE
"Let the world slide."
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; 4-H 2,3,4; Lunchroom Staff 3.



JANET FAYE WILSON
"Love conquers all."
Hi-Life Staff 1,2,4; Lunchroom Staff 2,3; 4-H Club 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. 4; Beta Club 3,4; Library Staff 4; Annual Staff 4; Junior Play.

Class Prophecy

My name is YVONNE HUTCHINS. I am a French correspondent for the *New York Times*. One afternoon late last summer, I decided to take a walk in the surrounding hills. Suddenly I noticed one of those freakish summer storms beginning to brew, so I made a dash for the nearest means of shelter. This shelter proved to be a small dark cave. The cave was not nearly so dark as I first thought it to be, for inside it contained a crackling fire with a kettle hanging over it. A weird looking prophetess was bending over this kettle chanting to herself:

She appeared to give me no notice, but continued to mumble and chant over the boiling brew.

"What do you brew, old woman?" I asked.

"The future, my lady," she cackled. "Do you wish to hear?"

"Yes," I said eagerly and drew up a seat.

First, I see in the smoking haze, Senator GAITHER SANFORD awarding the Certificate of Merit to marine heroes TENNYSON ANDERSON, ROBERT MABE, and FLOYD GREENE. Photographers MELVER CULLER and BONNIE SHAW are taking pictures of this memorial event."

"The scene shifts to J. T. SMITH'S T. V. Enterprises. Inside the portals I see BETTY JO FOSTER starring in the BOB KIGER musical review. ANNE RICHARDSON, script girl, is standing by to prompt in case the star forgets. Cameramen GRADY WHITE and EVERETTE GLASSCOCK roll the cameras forward for a close-up of NANCY BATES demonstrating GLEEM toothpaste.

A sudden shift in the wind made the fire blaze brightly. The old woman's face glowed briefly as she beheld in the smoke a small county seat town in

Davie County. "Mayor HENRY SHUTT is walking stately down the street. He is pausing for a minute to chat with housewife JO ANN GAITHER (RATLEDGE) and her six children. BAILEY WALKER, proprietor of Mocksville's largest theater is calling a cheery 'good morning' to his neighbors across the street, Mr. and Mrs. KENNETH HOWELL (the former JULIA ALLEN), owners of Howell Department Store."

"I see," the old woman mumbled, "Farmer TOM WHITAKER in town showing his ten pound pumpkin to editor LYNDA JEAN CRAWFORD."

"Mayor Shutt continues to saunter down the street only to be half knocked down by Veterinarian JIMMY KELLY as he rushes to the aid of HARRIET TUTTEROW'S prize Persian Cat. Miss HELEN LAIRD, as she is hurrying to her job as home economics teacher at Mocksville Consolidated High School, waves a quick hello to nurse CAROLYN REAVIS."

"And now my dear lady I see a large hotel in Miami where the National Beta Club is holding its 1971 Convention. On the terrace Miss JUNE GREEN, national director, is chatting with PATRICIA SMITH, vice president. Former members of the Mocksville Beta Club, NANCY REAVIS, DORIS McDANIEL, and MOLLY WATERS are honorary guests. Miss LINDA OWINGS is guest speaker."

"Mesdames J. C. Rockefeller and S. D. Woolworth, formerly Misses HAZEL CLEMENT and PEGGY HARRIS of Mocksville are breezing by in their jet Oldsmobiles."

"Mr. BILLY SELI, owner of Sell Furniture Company, just back from a deep sea fishing trip with Miami Hotel Proprietor HOMER REEVES, is coming up the beach."

"Miss JOAN SMITH, New York's most famous model is being interviewed by reporter FAYE WILSON. Miss Smith is presenting Miss PATTY TAYLOR'S fall collection of latest designs."

A gush of rain sizzles the fire momentarily. Then it blazes up again brightly bringing to the old woman's eyes the Annual Masonic Picnic. She whispered, "Ah, there are housewives LOIS MAE WHITAKER, REBECCA CANTER, GERALDINE WHITE and JANICE SMITH, bringing well-filled baskets. Their old classmate, JOHNNY ETCHISON is greeting them at the ticket gate. Coming in behind them is Doctor GAIL WALKER. Mr. Etchison glimpses famous New York hair stylist ERMON BEAUCHAMP, out in the crowd. Talking to her is CAROL MILLER just back from Paris where she starred in Director DONALD ALLEN'S latest movie. Columnist SARAH MARSHALL is predicting that Carol will be an Academy Award winner next year."

"Another old friend coming up to join the group is National 4-H Director ALTON SHEEK. He is telling them about BOBBY TALBERT and BILLY O'NEAL winning the National Cattle judging contest in Chicago."

The old woman paused momentarily, then her voice drove on. "I see clear, blue skies, an open plain and a brown clad group of hunters. They are the members of ONA GREY ROBERTSON'S all-woman safari. These daring adventurers are the Misses MARCIA LAGLE, SHELBY RICHARDSON and LOUISE KEATON. JEANETTE BUTNER is keeping a journal of the trip and MARY ALICE BOGER is taking movie scenes which will be released by MORGAN CHAFFIN'S film productions. Returning to Paris by plane from their African trip they are greeted by stewardesses KATHLEEN GAITHER and BETTY LOU EDWARDS. Two other distinguished passengers on the plane are United Nation's Ambassadors to France, CHRISTINE BEAUCHAMP and COLENE BLACKWELDER."

The old woman paused: "That is all." As I left the cave and walked home, I WONDERED!

Yvonne Hutchins, Prophetess

Class History

In late August '52 almost one hundred twenty-five pupils started their first year in Mocksville High School. We had several new students, most of whom were from Smith Grove.

After we as freshmen settled down, we elected Gaither Sanford as president to lead us through the troubles and trials which would come our way.

On the Student Council representing us as freshmen were Harriet Tutterow, Molly Waters, and Henry Shutt. These students helped with the writing of the constitution. About the only other important thing we did that year was to elect our Halloween king and queen. This honor was placed upon Johnny Etchison and Betty Jo Foster. We used a Hawaiian theme for our float, and even though our float didn't win, Betty Jo was crowned Queen!

That spring we chose Billy Sell and Betty Jo Foster to attend the Junior and Senior Banquet.

The next fall a few less students answered the sophomore roll call, but we still had the largest class in school.

For various reasons we didn't elect a class president, but somehow we got through. We nominated Bailey Walker and Katherine Plott as our candidates for the Halloween Carnival. That year we used "Sitting on Top of the World" as our theme for the float. It didn't win first prize—only second! Yvonne Hutchins won first prize for the best individual costume.

Giving expert advice to the Student Council were Molly Waters and Gaither Sanford from our sophomore class.

Then Banquet time came. We chose Patty Taylor and Henry Shutt to have the honor of attending this event which was held at the Woman's Club in Thomasville. After a few more weeks of school, we adjourned for the summer.

Another summer passed very quickly, and in the fall of '54 an inspired group of juniors settled down to work. First was the R. E. A. picnic, an annual affair at which the juniors are privileged to sell refreshments. We elected Gaither Sanford as chairman of this important project; later he became class president. All of us did a good bit of back-breaking labor that beautiful day in the concession stand, but it was worth it. We cleared over three hundred and twenty-five dollars.

As Halloween approached, the class elected Patty Taylor and Billy Sell as our Halloween king and queen. Our theme for the float was "United Nations". The float didn't win, but Billy was crowned King of the Carnival!

Jimmy Kelly and Kenneth Howell helped give aid

to the Student Council that year.

Billy Sell was awarded the most valuable football player of '54 from Mocksville High.

Soon after Christmas we started work on our banquet. We took a trip to New York to be present at the Stork Club, (in reality the Vance Hotel, Statesville). Gaither Sanford, class president, served as Master of Ceremonies. Many talented members of our class participated in a musical program making this a memorable occasion

Later that spring our first major attempt in acting was presented in the High School Auditorium. *Peck's Bad Boy*, a three act comedy by Charles George was well received, and we were sure our efforts had not been in vain.

One of the most exciting and thrilling time of the year was in May when we ordered our class rings. We chose black stones with the wildcat seal on one side and the state seal on the other.

Instead of waiting until the senior year to select the 1955-56 Student Council president, we decided to elect him the last of the junior year. The by-laws were changed and the election took place. Billy Sell was elected president of the Student Council, with Henry Shutt as Vice-President.

The faculty chose Lynda Crawford and Betty Edwards to attend Girls' State, which was held at Woman's College, and Gaither Sanford to attend Boys' State at Raleigh. May brought a close to one of our most enjoyable school years.

Then we were Seniors'

How did we feel as we entered the doors of high school for the last year? There was a little sadness as we remembered all the things we would do no more, but the joy of graduating will more than make up for what we miss.

We elected Henry Shutt to be our efficient class president. To help Student Council President Billy Sell, we nominated Bob Kiger and Kenneth Howell.

For our Halloween float we chose "Peter Pumpkin Eater" as our theme with the king and queen candidates, J. T. Smith and Carol Miller, riding in the pumpkin. The float won second prize.

As we the seniors of '56 look back over the four long years of high school, a lot of "if's" crowd our mind. As we look into the future we see a bright or gloomy tomorrow, but whatever the tide may bring, we shall make the best of it.

Gail Walker, Historian

Proposed J. T. Smith

Connie I have
John Githen Patricia Smith
Rebecca Carter Doris McDaniel
Helen Laird Carol
Morgan Coffin Kathleen Smith
Lelix Howell Sue Phillips
Julia Allen Bryan as Linda Davis
William Jennings Henry Shutt
Fannie Smith
Lyndyson Anderson "Bob" Fife
Alton Sheek Bailey "Bob" Walker
Hannah Patterson
Mary Alice Boger Anne Richardson
Young Fletcher
Marcia Taylor
Gloria Green
Nancy Baker
Christine Beauchamp
See "Bob"
Hello Richardson
Fay Wilson
Glen Blackwell
GHC
Gail Walker
Robert Nathan
Glenon Beauchamp
Gretchen Butler
Sarah Marshall



FRIENDLIEST:
Gaither Sanford
Julia Allen



MOST POPULAR:
Henry Shutt
Carol Miller



WITTIEST:
Floyd Green
Molly Waters



MOST ATHLETIC:
Kenneth Howell
Patty Taylor



MOST DEPENDABLE:
Johnny Etchison
Lynda Crawford



MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED:
Gaither Sanford
Betty Lou Edwards



BEST DRESSED:
J. T. Smith
Carol Miller



MOST STUDIOUS:
Henry Shutt
Lynda Crawford



CUTEST:
Bailey Walker
Patty Taylor

Senior Superlatives



PRETTIEST and
MOST HANDSOME:
J. T. Smith
Bonnie Shaw



MOST DIGNIFIED:
Donald Allen
Betty Jo Foster



BEST ALL-AROUND:
Johnny Etchison
Gail Walker



Treasurer, Martha McDaniel
Secretary, Sue Howard
Vice-President, Carmen Rice
President, Mackie Deadmon

JUNIOR OFFICERS

Junior
Class



Jane Allen



Marshall Angell
Audrey Bailey



Jim Boger
Amos Brown



Joe Brown
Nancy Brown
Devon Cannon



Floretta Collette
Nancy Cozart
Donald Joe Danner
Mackie Deadmon



Barbara Ferebee
Roy Forrest
Tony Forrest
Jo Ann Frye

Gail Furches
Evonne Gaither
Ruth Greene
Clinord Howard

Junior Class

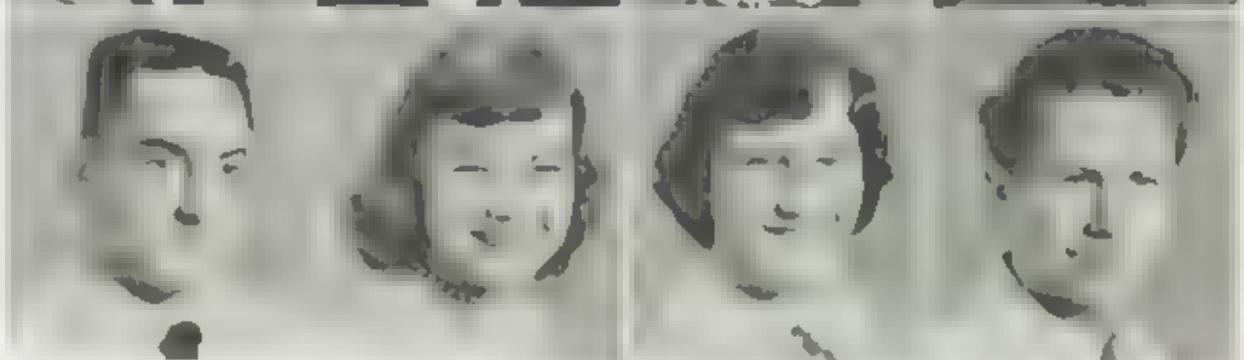
Pansy Howard
Sue Howard
Betty Jones
Carolyn Lotham



Bobby Leonard
William Long
Martha McDaniel
Chiquita Murray



Dickie Nail
Katherine Parrish
Betty Jo Phillips
Gene Plott



Emma Jo Pope
Mary Lou Quillin
Ann Rankin
Carolyn Ratledge



Jerry Reavis
Carmen Rice
Denny Rollins
Nancy Rollins

Junior Class



Philip Rowland
Ann Sain
Janice Smoot
Marilyn Spencer

Jimmy Spillman
Sylvia Stroud
Ann Taylor
Jo Ann Trivette



Kenny Walker
Sam Walker
Joyce Whitaker
Robert Wilson

S
o
C
l
a
s
s
P
h
o
m
o
r
e



SOPHOMORE OFFICERS

Mitzi Brewer, Treasurer
Freddie Murphy, Secretary
Darwin Allen, Vice-President
Z. N. Anderson, President



Darwin Allen
Jane Allen
Lester Allen

Alice Anderson
Z. N. Anderson
Myron Angell

Brevard Arndt
Peggy Arnold
Jimmy Atwood

Jean Baker
Mike Barnette
Janie Beck

Margaret Bell
Barbara Boger
Mitzi Brewer



Sophomore Class



Alice Call
Geraldine Campbell
Leon Carter
Bill Collette

Charles Daniel
Gene Flowers
Earl Furches
Howard Gaither

Barbara Goad
Darnell Gobble
Joe Gobble
David Green

Billy Harpe
Myrtis Hellard
Gail Hendrix
Ann Hursey

Jackie Jones
Joan Jones
Willie Keaton
Carolyn Keller

Judy Laird
Shelby Jean Lanier
Ronnie Lookabill
Johnny Lowery

Janice Matthews
Alice McDaniel
Brady McDaniel
Lorraine McDaniel



Mary Wilma McDaniel
H. T. Meroney
Wilson Merrell
Jimmy Mullis



Freddie Murphy
Peggy Owings
Doris Peoples
Richard Potts



Don Richardson
Jack Richardson
James Richardson
Gerald Robertson

Sophomore Class

Jack Seaford
Terry Shutt
Edith Smith
Joe Smith



Walker Stickney
Mona Swicegood
Johnnie Sue Teague
Jean Tucker



Mary Wall
Peggy Wall
Veona Welborne
Alvin Whitaker

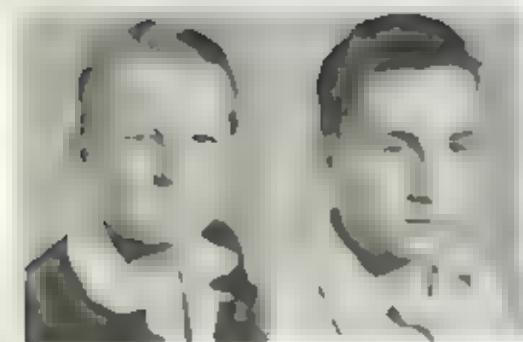


Freshman Class



FRESHMAN OFFICERS

Lloyd Junker, President; Martha Seats, Vice-President; Yvonne Hendrix, Secretary.



Arnold Adams Jackie Allen



Louise Allen



Wayne Allen
R. K. Allison



Arnold Anderson
Joe Anderson
Alton Angell



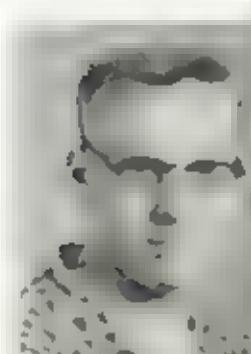
Linda Ball
Ronald Bates
Harold Boger
Mary Boles

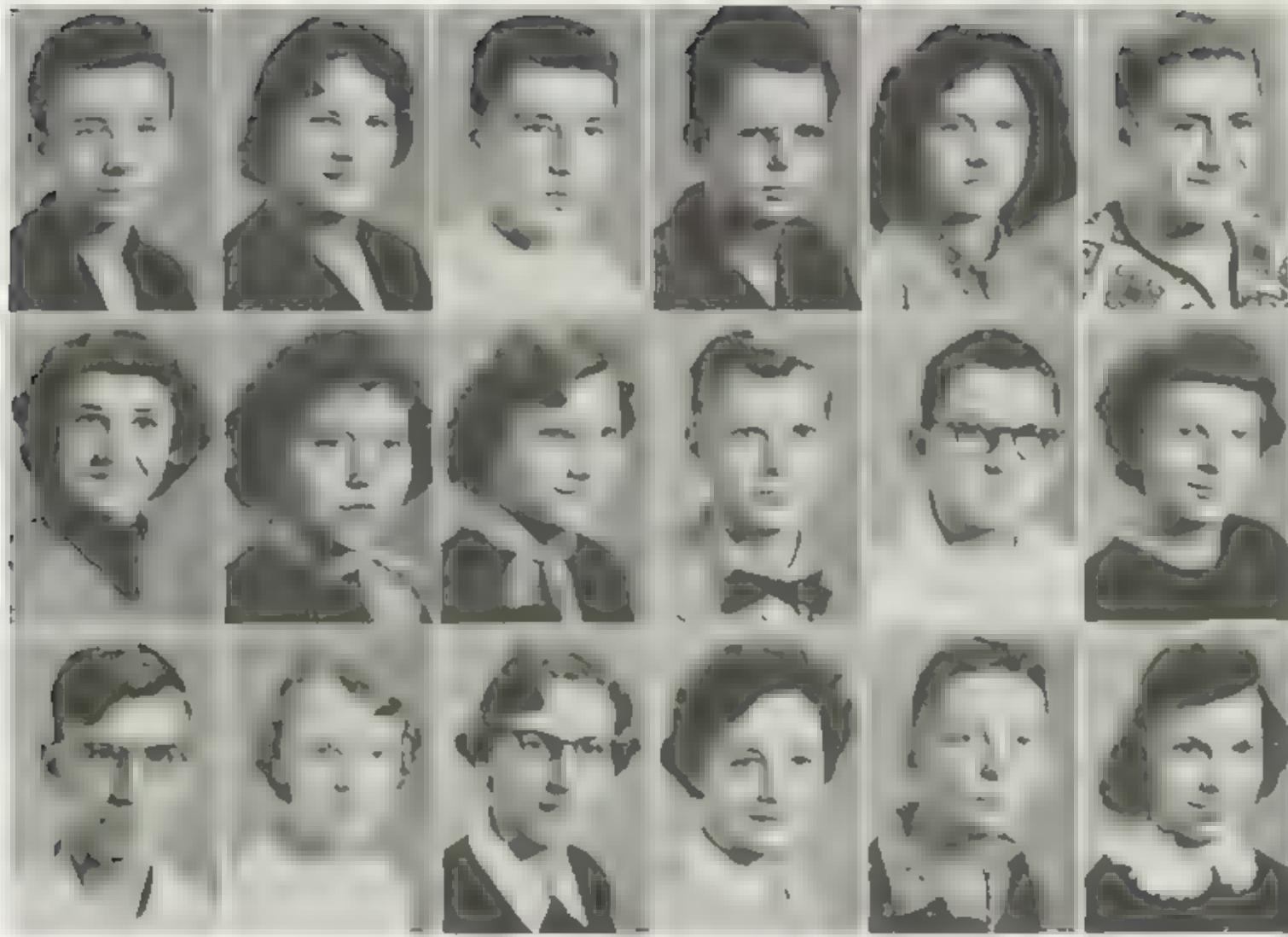


Harry Call
Peggy Carter
Martha Clement
Laverne Cohen
Darrell Cook



Jack Couch
June Craven
Ann Day
Wade Dyson
James Edwards, Jr.
Charlie Ellis





Glenn Everest
Sylvia Everhardt
Tex Foster
Wilson Foster
Betty Jean Frye
Sanford Frye

Wanda Gobble
Rebecca Goss
Janie Greene
Kenneth Greene
Mack Draughn
Carolyn Harris

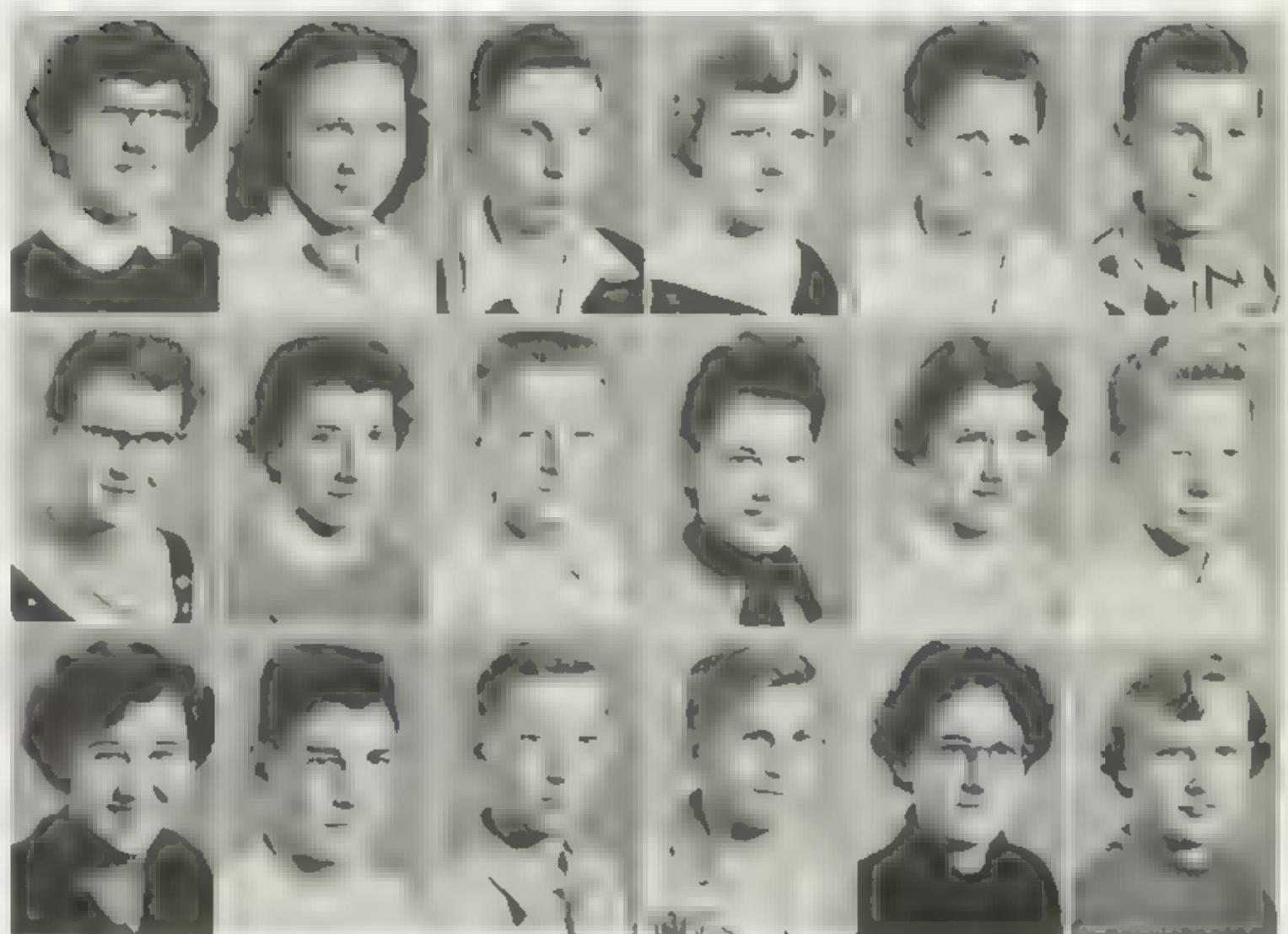
Jack Harris
Linda Hartley
Ann Hendricks
Barbara Hendrix
Charles Hendrix
Connie Hendrix

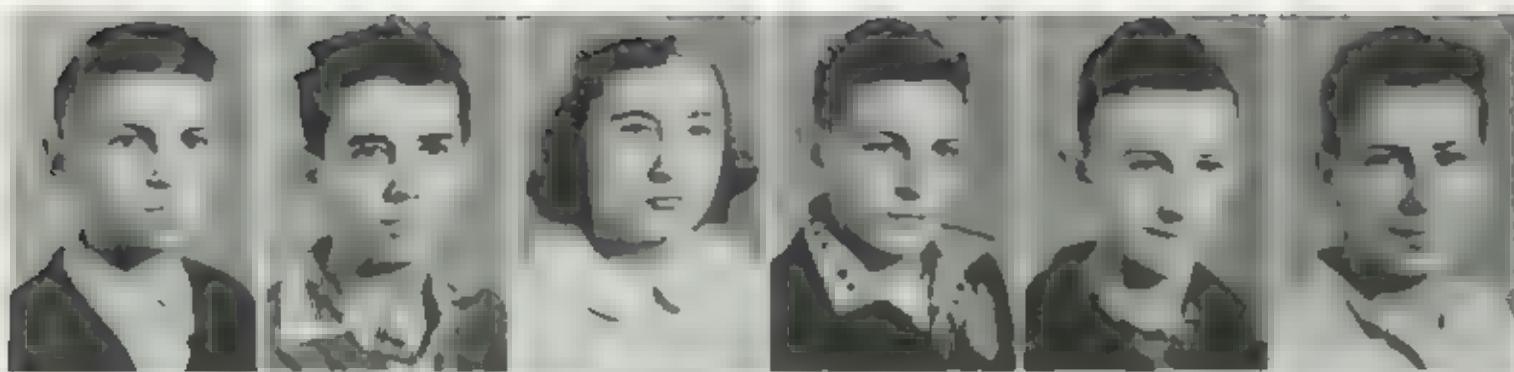
Freshman Class

Linda Hendrix
Margaret Hendrix
Robert Hendrix
Yvonne Hendrix
Abe Howard
Joseph Howard

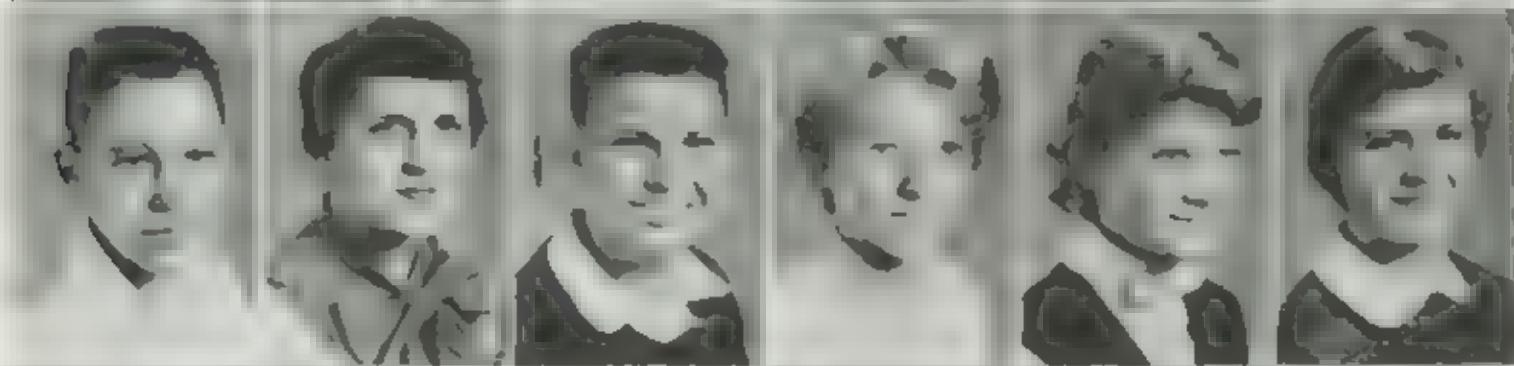
Nancy Howard
Maxine Howell
Bailey James
Elsie Johnson
Gail Jones
Lloyd Junker

Ann Latham
Charlie Latham
Charles Lazenby
Jimmy Lookabill
Alice Faye Lowery
Gene Madison

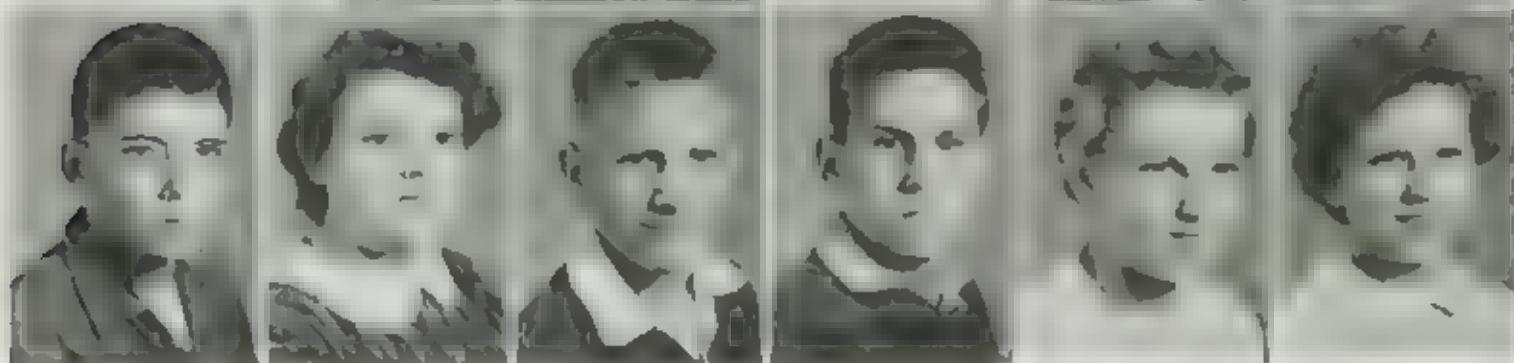




John Marshall
Johnny Mason
Dorothy McBride
Clyde Melton
Wayne Melton
Jerry Millsaps



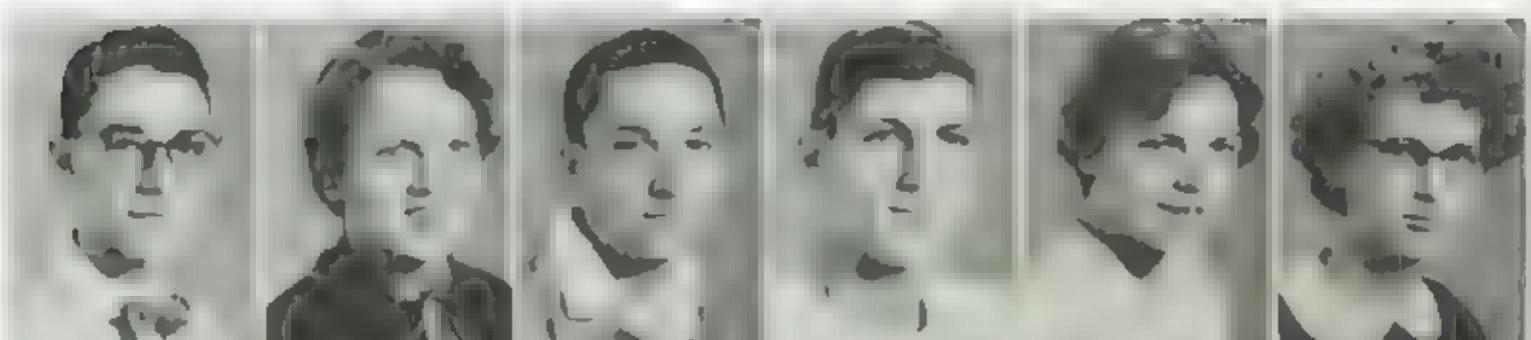
Roger Parrish
Gail Poplin
Eddy Powell
Mildred Privette
Mary Etta Rotledge
Patsy Reavis



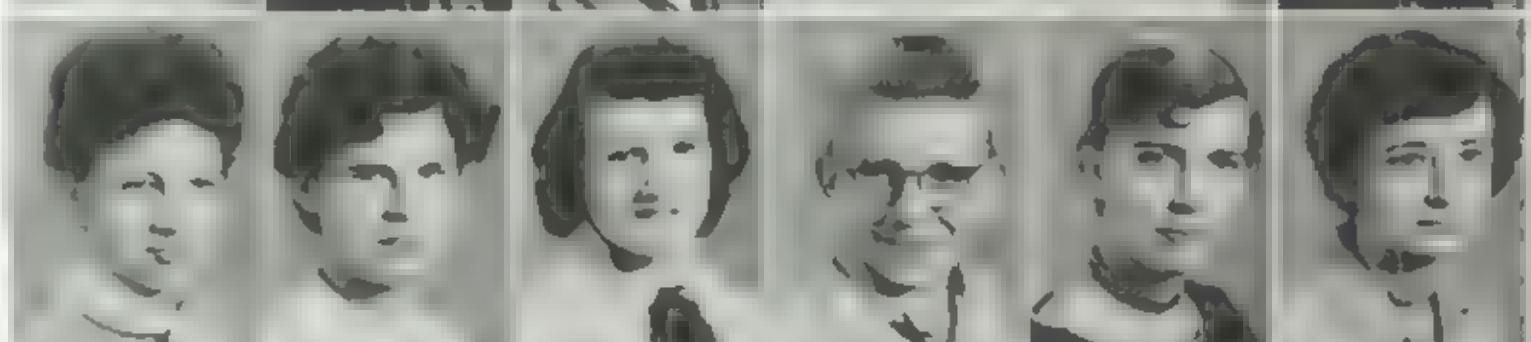
Junior Reeves
Gaye Rice
Alan Richardson
Johnny Richardson
Faye Riddle
Linda Robertson

Freshman Class

Robert Rowland
Martha Seats
Bobby Gray Smith
Carmen Smith
Dianne Smith
Phyllis Smith

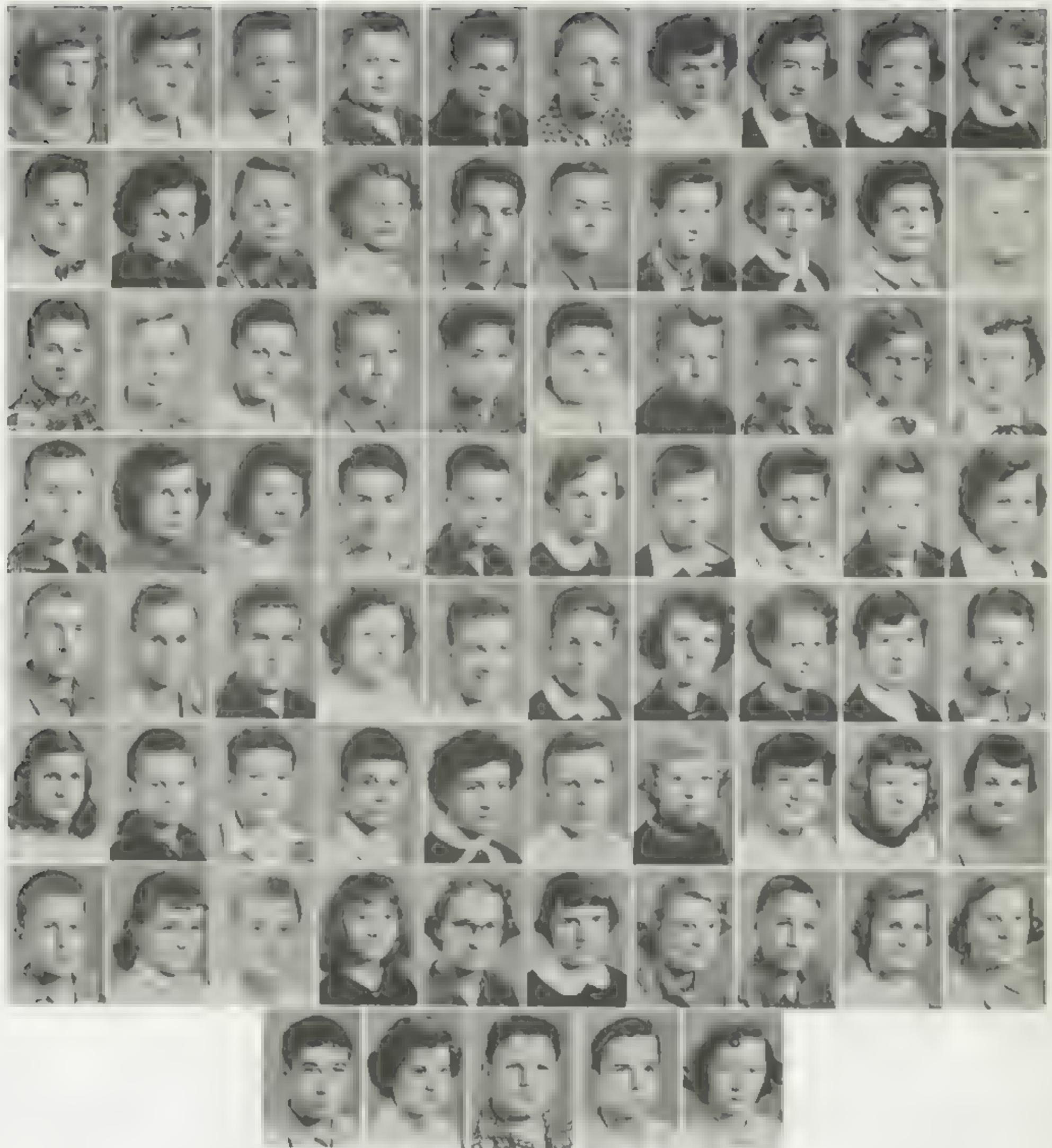


Betty Jo Smoot
Priscilla Smoot
Sharrie Souther
Terry Spencer
Pauline Spry
Judy Taylor



Richard Taylor
Tommy Trivette
Hal Wall
Johnny Ward
Don White
Bob York





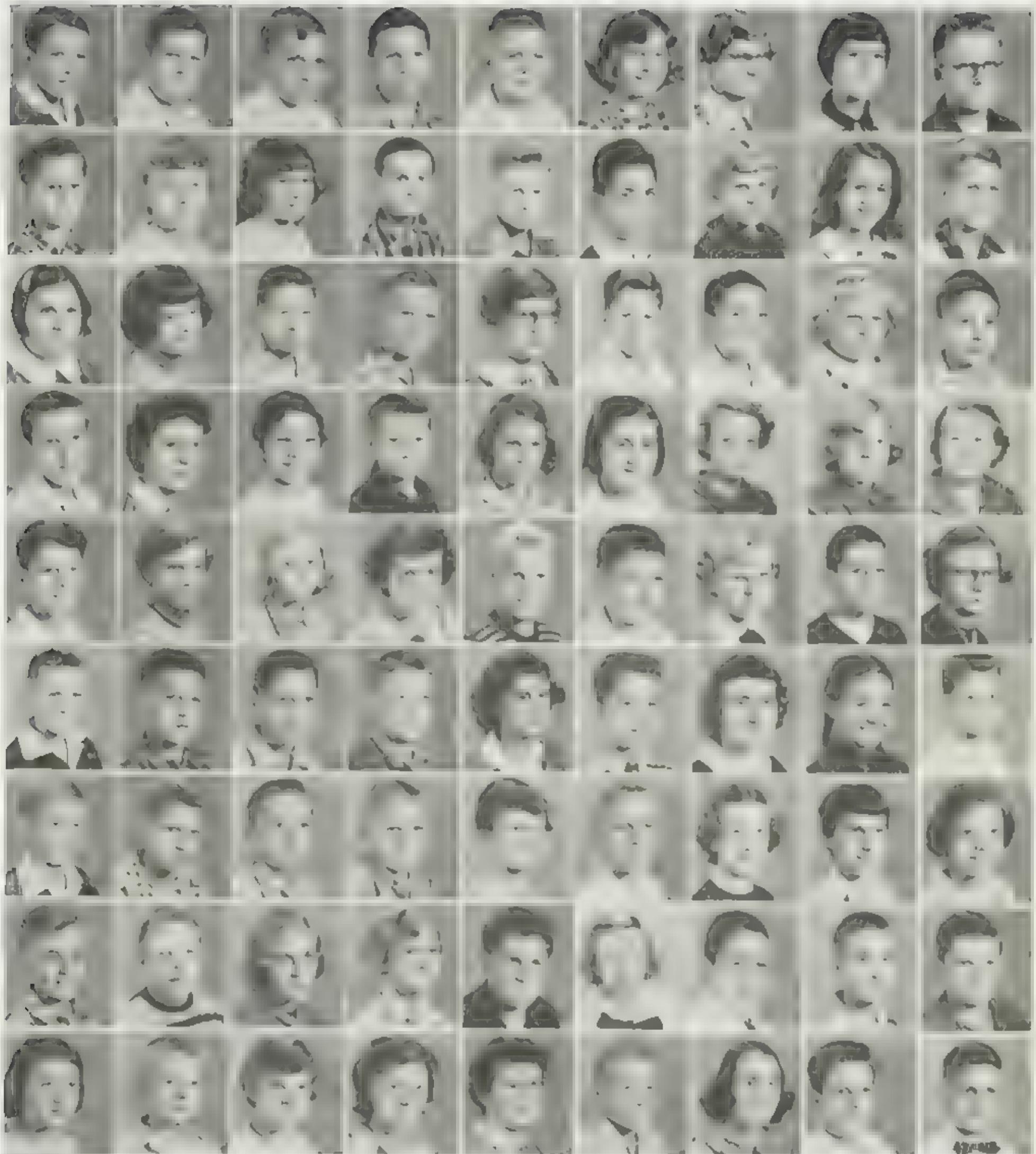
Eighth Grade

Angeline Allen, Elmer Allen, Mitchell Angell, Robert Barnhart, David Beaver, W. A. Beck, Carolyn Bell, Louise Blackwelder, Ann Blackwood, Bonne Boger, Franklin Boger, Judy Bowles, Gene Brewer, Sue Brewer, Bobby Brown, Larry Brown, Reba Bundy, Wanda Burton, Sue Cartner, Gary Chaffin, Joe Tommy Chaffin, Wayne Champion, Donald Cleary, Juan Cohen, Jerry Cook, Leroy Cranfill, Carl Dyson, Eugene Dyson, Mary Etchison, Patsy Everest, Bill Foster, Jean Foster, Patsy Fuller, Dwain Furches, Hugh Gaither, Ann Graham, Tommy Graham, Wayne Green, Aaron Hebard, Linda Hendricks, Jimmie Hendrix, W. L. James, David Jones, Linda Kay Jones, Jerry Keller, Ramey Kemp, Eleanor Kurfess, Sarah Leach, Annette Lefler, Kelly Mainer, Sandra Malone, Don Markin, Michael McClamrock, Gwyn Meroney, Mary Lois Nichols, Stephen Pope, Beverly Potts, Linda Sue Quillin, Helen Reeves, Letitia Rodwell, Wayne Sammons, Judy Sanford, David Shaw, Gail Sigmon, Natalie Smith, Sue Spelman, Sue Steelman, Sidney Stroud, Brenda Taylor, Betty Trevette, Mary Tucker, Benny Turner, John Williard, Shirley York, Henry Kurley Young.



Seventh Grade

John Robert Allen, Peggy Allen, Judy Anderson, Betty Arnold, Jerry Arnold, Grenda Barnette, Jerry Barnette, Lance Beasley, Catherine Bell, John Blackwelder, Gladys Boger, Jerry Boger, Donnie Boies, Rachel Bowles, Ann Boyd, Linda Carter, Margaret Ann Carter, Melva Jean Carter, Bonnie Chaffin, Barbara Chapman, Marceline Cook, Janice Danner, Teddy Davis, Jackie Du I, Donald Edwards, Lena Mae Edwards, Betty Jean Femster, Norman Forrest, Johnny Foster, Theresa Foster, Cora Furches, Benny Gaither, Patricia Gauthier, Josephine Galliher, Donnie Gobble, Betty Green, Johnny Green, P. C. Grubbs, Linda Harris, Jerry Hendricks, Nancy Hendrix, Tommy Hendrix, Clara Howard, William Nelson Howard, J. C. Huffman, Gerald Jones, Joyce Jones, Larry Jones, Ann Jordan, Fonda Joyce, Ophelia Kel er, Everette Kelly, Carolyn Kurfess, Kay Lanier, James Leroy Lash, J. W. Lash, James Latham, Joe Little Luther Long, Allen Mabe, Johnny Marklin, Carolyn McClellan, Doug McDonalds, Benny Merrill, Tamra Merrill, Lucille Moody, Bill Moore, Johnny O'Neal, Phyllis Ratledge, Judy Reavis, Jane Rowland, Ruby Safley, Ade aide Sanford, Edith Snel, Linda Snel, Richard Shores, Edwin Smith, Elaine Smith, Jackie Smith, Annie Be I Stewart, Hubert Stein, Linda Stroud, Jerry Swicegood, Madeline Swisher, Martha Trivette, Curtis Tutterow, Tommy Tutterow, Connie Wagner, Sherrill Wall, Gene Whittaker, Johnny Wyatt



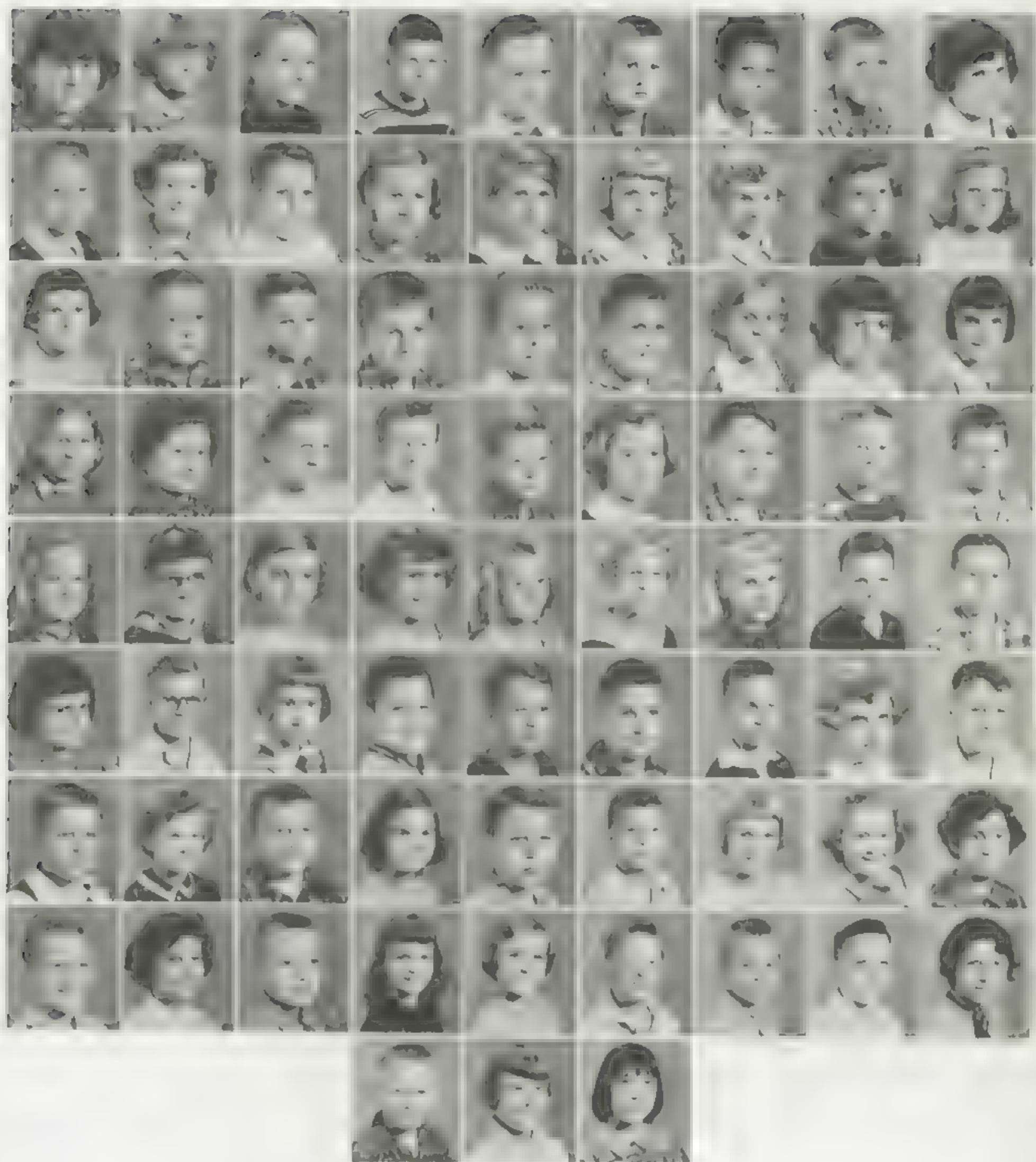
Sixth Grade

J. T. Adams George Angell, Marcus Angell Prantis Barneycastle, Edward Barnhardt Carol Beck Louise Beck Frances Boger, Edward Bowles, John Frank Bowles Alma Bronham, Betty Brewer, Wilson Brown, Don Cartmel Kenneth Cassidy, Kay Chapman, Carolyn Cook Lester Cozart Brenda Cranfill, Julia Craven Jerry Crews Jim Davis Brenda Day Jimmy Dickinson, Ronald Draughn Melba Louise Dyson, Buddy Eaton Billy Evans "Vicky" Femster Dianne Ferebee M. B. Forrest Mary Ruth Frye, Mary Ann Glasscock, Anne Gobble Hilda Harpe, Judy Harpe Larry Hendricks, Ann Hendrix Linda Hendrix Judy Holloway, "Gene" Holthouser Howard Hutchins Linda Hutchins, Rocky Johnson Barbara Jones Donald Jones Jimmy Kiger Wayne Lamer John Ray Latham Shirley Latham Denny List Reba Lowery, Kay Mathews, Jimmy Miller David Owings, Artis Pritt, Bobby Pritt, Jay D. Prevette, Shirley Ratledge, Ronald Wayne Richardson, Poulette Richard, Shirley Sammons, Dorothy Shell, Larry Smith, Norman Smith, Barbara Smoot Ann Spillman, Hugh Stewart, Dorothy Taylor, Larry Thomas, Chuck Tomlinson, Richard Trivette, Frances Turner, Jimmy Tutterow Molly Tutterow, Carolyn Wall, "Missy" Waters, Charles Whitaker, Jane White, Jerry White, Larry Wilson, Johnny York.



Fifth Grade

David Adams, Fred Allen, Vivian Allen, Gail Allison, Jimmy Anderson, Perrie Anderson, Kenneth Arnold, Jim or Barnee, Buddy Bell, Herman Bennett, W. H. Blackwelder, Joe Cartner, Christine Clement, Sherry Collins, Sylvia Cronfield, Charles Crenshaw, Bill Duy, Wayne Douglass, Judy Dwiggins, Jerry Sue Evans, Moretha Foster, Linda Fry, Jimmy Fuller, Myrtle Gobble, Odell Grable, Tommy Gobble, Charles Harris, James Harris, Wanda Harrison, Brenda Hendrix, Judy Hendrix, Shirley Hendrix, Howard Holsouser, Brenda Howard, James Howard, Johnny Howard, Harry Lee Howell, Steven James, Ike James, Billy Ray Jones, Col Jones, Gary Jones, June Jones, Doris Jordan, Bill Junker, Martha Kiser, Jerry Koontz, Kenneth Koontz, Robert Kortes, Gail Lanier, Linda Last, Tennessee Lead, Anne Lipham, Kaye Lowery, Sharon Marklin, Ronnie McCamrock, Ann McCuloh, Charles Merrell, Jimmy Merrel, Norma Messick, Jerry Miller, Gary Missaps, Ray O'Neal, Joann Peoples, John Henry Ratledge, Carl Roberson, Patrick Rogers, Ronnie Rogers, Dwight Sammons, Kay Shaw, Jimmy Sheek, Jane Smith, Linda Smith, Gary Souther, Vic Spory, Brenda Strand, Blaine Taylor, Mary Taylor, Ann Towel, Shirley Trivette, Gene Vickers, Marvin Winkler, Nancy Winkler, Mac White, Betty Zimmerman.



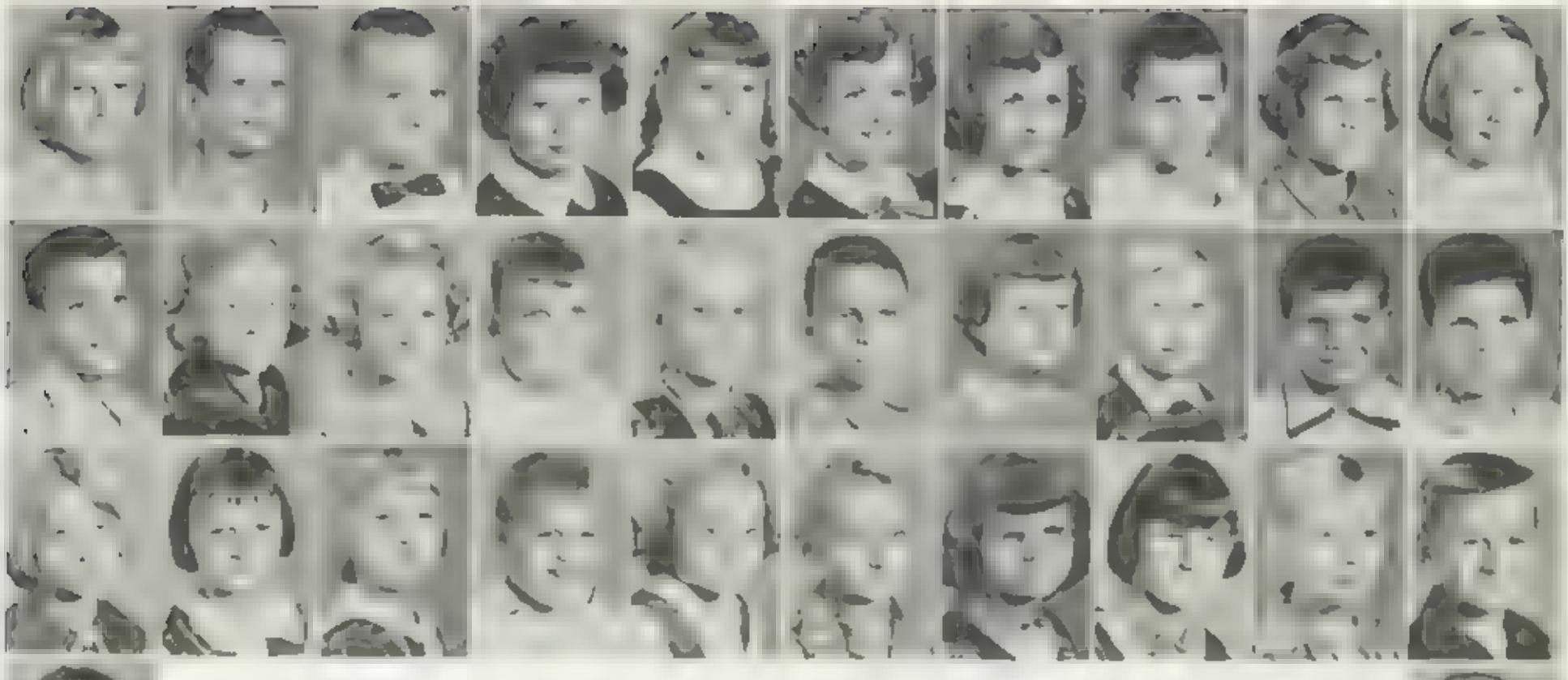
Fourth Grade

Patricia Angel, Carolyn Binkley, Venita Blackwelder, Charles Boger, Gary Boger, Larry Bowes, John Brewer, Burke Joe Brown, Ann Cassidy, Don Cassidy, Jean Ceary, Butch Craft, Sandra Craft, Rheta Daniels, Patty Donner, Barbara Davis, Patsy Deadmon, Anne Dickinson, Ann Draughn, Larry Draughn, Ronnie Durr, Ray Dwiggins, Steve Evans, Larry Femster, Ann Foster, Ava Lou Foster, Mandy Fraylock, Mary Lou Frye, Rosemary Garner, Joyce Gasscock, Larry Gobbe, Spurgeon Goss, Patsy Gribb, Larry Harbin, Paul Harpe, Jerry Hayes, Diane Hendricks, Johnny Hendrix, Martha Hendrix, Letha Holaway, Judy James, Martha James, Dessie Johnson, Johnny Johnson, George Jones, Ruth Jordan, Bobby Keller, Margie Lanier, Robert Lanier, Terry Lash, Tony Lyerly, Lawrence Mabe, Jane Mando, Randy Miller, Bobby Moody, Carol Nash, Tommy O'Neal, Judy Phipps, Keith Potts, Jerry Ratledge, Elizabeth Rector, Phyllis Reep, Dianne Robertson, Nelson Sammons, Korieen Seil, Ashley Smith, Rosalee Smith, Margie Smoot, Donald Stewart, Ronald Stewart, Johnny Towell, Kaross Walker, David White, Shirley Willard, Kathy Young.



Third Grade

Gary Allen, Kenneth Allison, Jerry Angell, Joe Barron, Clifford Beaver, Jimmy Boger, John Henry Boger, Kenneth Boger, Marlene Boger, Billy Bowles, Rannie Bowles, Steve Brown, Larry Burnette, Brenda Burton, Peggy Call, Janet Carter, Kenneth Carter, Eddy Cartmell, Harold Cassidy, Joyce Chapman, Butch Clement, Vernon Coe, Barbara Cook, Linda Cox, Corky Cozart, "Pug" Cutts, Gary Lee Daniels, Merle Danner, Phyllis Donner, Johnny Davis, Ervin Draughn, Kay Feimster, Roger Feimster, Mary Ruth Forest, Patsy Garner, Kathy Glasscock, Patsy Gobble, Kaye Godbey, Annie Ruth Goss, Helen Grant, Betty Graves, Tony Greene, Ronnie Gunn, Irene Morrison, Shelby Hayes, Eugene Hendrix, Marcia Hendrix, Sammy Hendrix, Spencer Hendrix, Ricky Holshouser, Faye Howard, Jane Howard, Ray Huffman, Betty Hutchens, Bobbie Hutchens, Eugene James, Gail Johnson, Nancy Johnson, David Jones, Donnie Jones, Barbara Keller, Barbara Keller, Michael Keller, Gregg Kemp, Billie Koontz, Linda Meredith, Betty Merrell, Linda Owens, Glenda Owings, Clay Pesaro, Vivian Poole, Elsie Purvis.



Third Grade

Ann Ratledge, Donnie Ratledge, Larry Reynolds, Edith Sain, Jane Sanford, Jewell Seaford, Kay Seaford, David Shaw, Nancy Sheek, Gloria Shell, Jimmie Short, Mary Ruth Shuler, Kay Smoot, Jerry Spry, David Lee Steelman, Butch Stewart, Darlene Swegood, Baby Taylor, Billy Ray Tollefson, Larry Tutterow, Bettie Whitaker, Elaine Whitaker, Ida Grace Whitaker, Gary Lee Whitaker, Janice Whitaker, Vernon Whitaker, Doris Whited, Jody Willard, Monte Wilson, John Woodward, Ida Bell Yates, Charles Young.



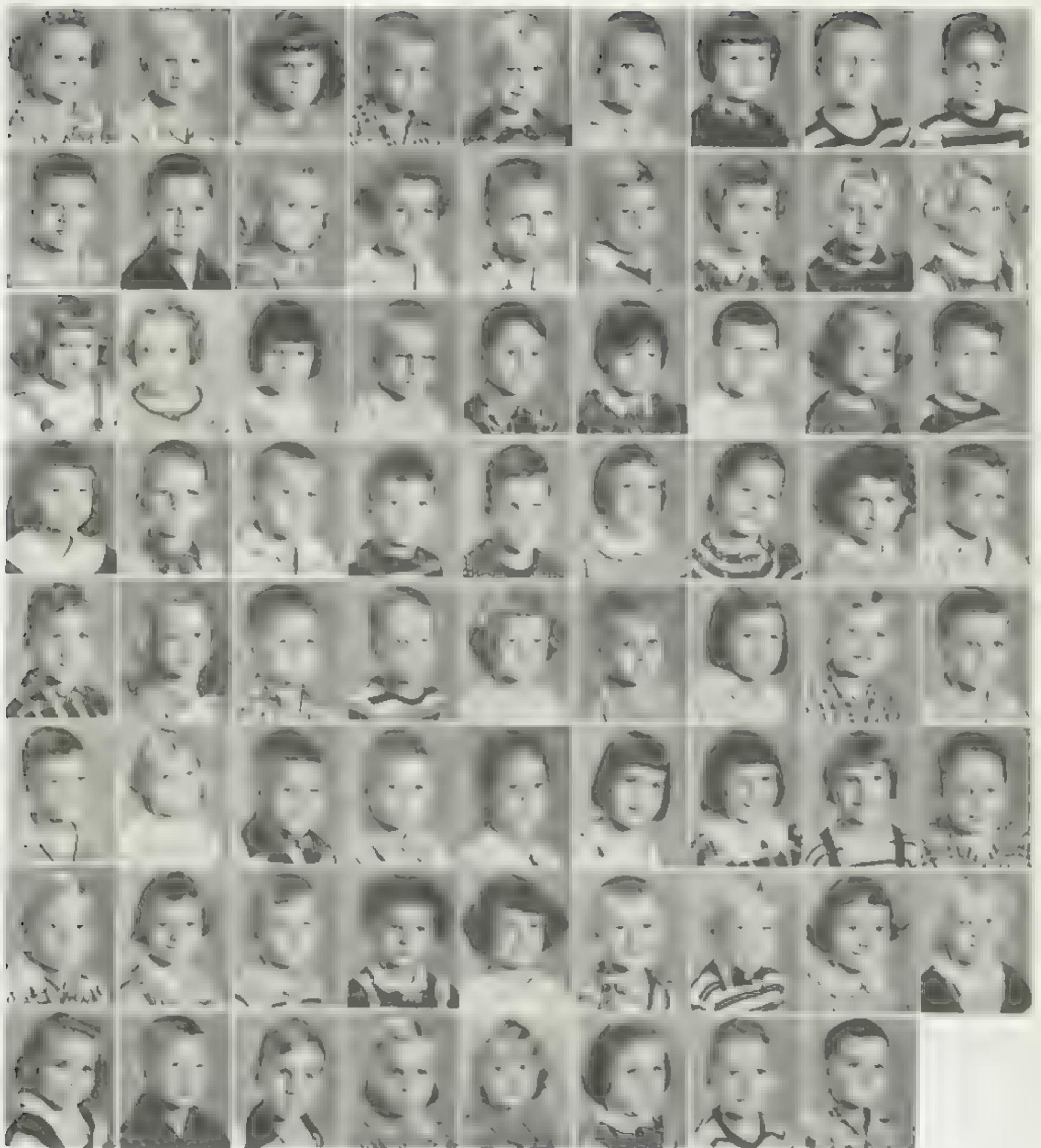
Second Grade

Martha Sue Allen, Douglas Anderson, Steven Arndt, Kathy Beck, Harold Boettcher, Linda Boger, Michael Brantam, Phyllis Cal, Casey Cartmell, Linda Gay Cartner, Benjamin Coe, Susan Collette, William Crankill, Perri Cutts, Rebecca Ann Davis, Troy Draughn, Gerry Dull, Jim Dwiggins, Elizabeth Ann Evans, Jean Evans.



Second Grade

Raymond Everest, Joe Mack Everett, Becky Forrest, Beverly Foster, Brenda Frye, Johnny Frye, Keith Frye, Rachel Galliher, Delaine Glasscock, Jimmy Glasscock, Gary Gobble, Vauda Mae Gobble, Barbara Ann Goforth, Linda Green, Georgie Grimes, Nancy Grubbs, Jeanette Harpe, Gary Hayes, Michael Hendrix, Linda Holman, Martha Howard, Brenda Sue Jones, Dianne Jones, Joe Jones, Barbara Lash, Louis Leach, Donna Long, G. W. Lowery, Ray Mabe, Yvonne Mabe, Dianne McClamrock, Judy McPeters, Karen Merrell, Sandra M. Ilsaps, Marty Jo Morrow, Judy Go I O'Neil, Wanda Parrish, Meredith Penninger, Mary Sue Peoples, Ann Plott, Mary Ratledge, Rose Little Richardson, Stanley Rickard, Verna Sofley, Danny Shore, Bobbie Smith, Joetta Smith, June Smith, Lanny Smith, Mary Jane Smith, Johnny Sparks, Jerry Stroud, Beverly Tomlinson, Brenda Turner, Doyle Wagner, Charles Walker, Neal Walker, Gerald Wall, Lanie Wall, Pam Wall, Rosie Waters, Jerry Whitaker, Kenneth Whitaker, Rebecca Whitaker, Johnny White, Paul Willard, Charles Williams, Shirley Wood, Brantley York, Freddy Young, Jon Young.



First Grade

Wanda Bosley, Tommy Beck, Rita Byerly, Ricky Cartner, Janet Ann Cozart, Phil Deadmon, Darlene Dull, Carl Dwiggins, Donnie Dwiggins, Gwyn Dwiggins, Darrel Edwards, Ann Feinster, Brenda Forrest, Leonard Foster, Paul Foster, Brenda Gaither, Bobby Waller, Carroll Garner, Lotty Gobble, Jo Gobble, Brenda Godbey, Steve Gough, Richard Green, Lorraine Harrison, David Heffner, Vicki Hendricks, Bobby Hendrix, Brenda Hendrix, Deane Hendrix, Jerry Hendrix, Jackie Holloway, Jerry Holthouser, Jeanne Johnson, Jennifer Jones, Mary Ann Jones, Donny Keller, Tommy Lanier, Kay Lazemby, Steven Leham, George Mason, Jr., Linda McCormack, Mike Miller, Mae Moody, Dennis Moore, Gary O'Neil, Paul O'Neil, Bonnie Ratledge, Ronnie Sain, Sanford Sain, Caroline Sanford, Patricia Short, Gail Smith, Katty Fay Smith, Richard Smith, Russell Smith, Susan Smith, Larry Spencer, Jean Stewart, Martha Stewart, Tommy Stewart, Howard Taylor, Carol Thompson, Lynne Tutterow, Ann Voris, Steve Walker, Dale Wal, Linda Whitaker, Shirley Whitaker, Kay Williard, Dwight Wooten, Wayne Young.



Traffic Cop

Mr. Plowman



Lunchroom Staff

Mrs. Vera Dwiggins, Mrs. Duke Whitaker, Mrs. Margaret Latham, Mrs. Gilmer Brewer, Manager; Mrs. Betty Tutterow, Mrs. C. H. Messick.

ATHLETICS



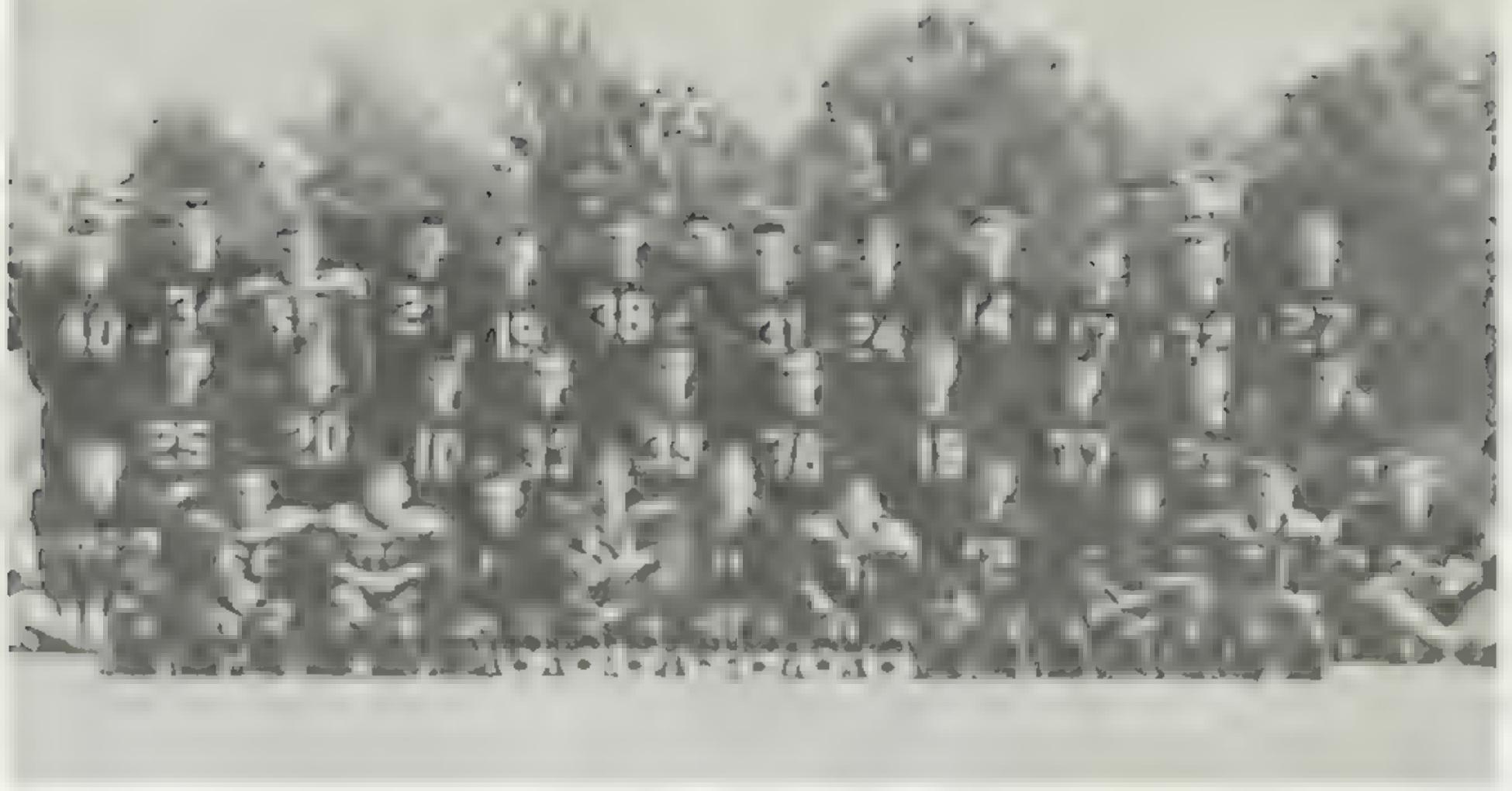
Cheerleaders

Janice Smoot, Terry Shutt, Chiquita Murray, Veona Welborn, Chief; Karleen Sell, Mascot; Martha Seats, Alice Call. Not Pictured: Louise Allen.



"Old Faithful"





1955 Football Team

FIRST ROW: Floyd Greene, Jackie Allen, Tommy Graham, Bailey James, Ramey Kemp, Lloyd Junker, Eddie Powell, Joe Gobbie, Charlie Latham, Jimmy Mitsaps, Joe Brown. SECOND ROW: Jimmy Atwood, Ronald Lookabill, Jimmy Spelman, Bailey Walker, William Long, Kenny Walker, Z. N. Anderson, Dickie Nail, Bill Harpe, Kenneth Howell. THIRD ROW: Darwin Allen, Michael Barnette, David Jones, Bobby Leonard, Lester Allen, Bill Sell, Jimmy Kelly, Mackie Deadmon, Jimmy Mullis, Brevard Arndt, Clinard Howard, Alton Sheek, Jack Couch.

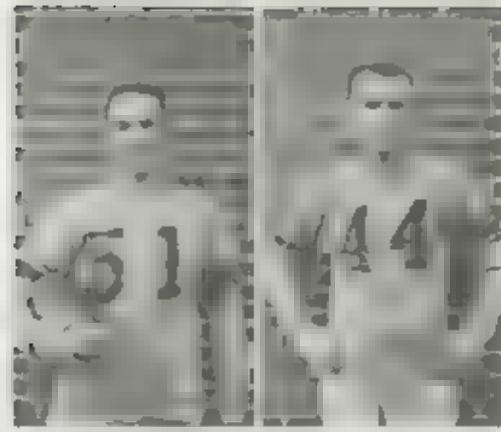


Starting Line-up

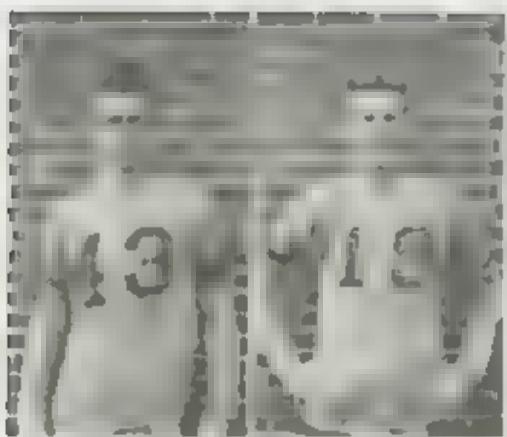
LINE: Billy Sell, Michael Barnette, Joe Brown, William Long, Kenny Walker, Darwin Allen, Jimmy Kelly.
BACKFIELD: Kenneth Howell, Bailey Walker, Mackie Deadmon, Alton Sheek.

Football

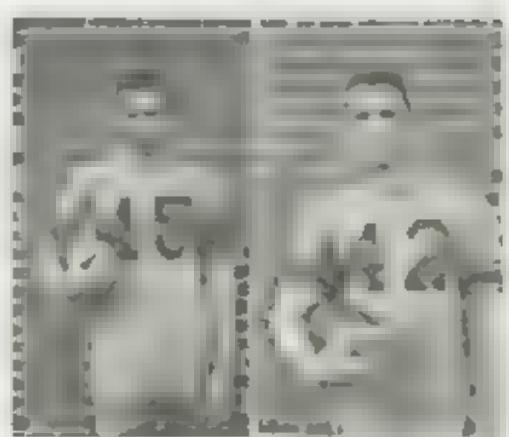
Team 1955



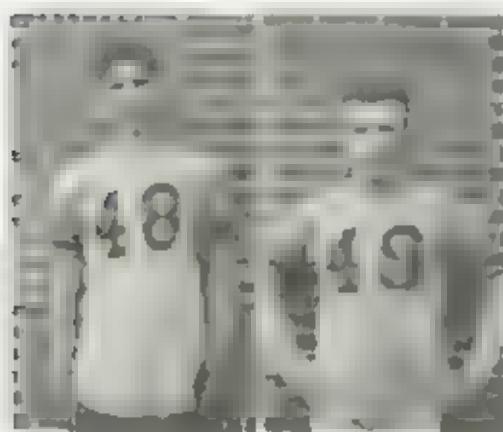
FULLBACKS
Dickie Nail
Bailey Walker



HALFBACK - Alton Sheek
QUARTERBACK - Lester Allen



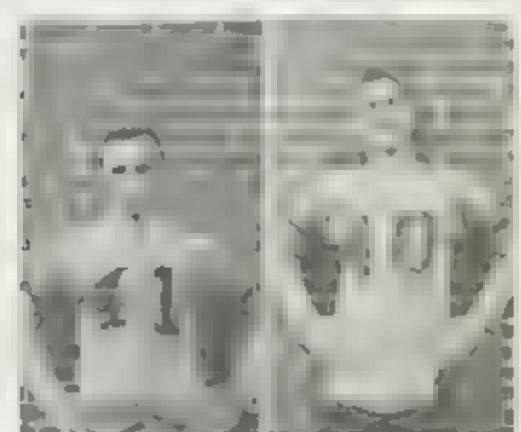
HALFBACK - Kenneth Howell
QUARTERBACK - Mackie Deadmon



TACKLE - Michael Barnette
Darwin Allen



CO-CAPTAINS - Ends: Billy Self, Jimmy Kelly,
Cooch, Mr. Peeler.



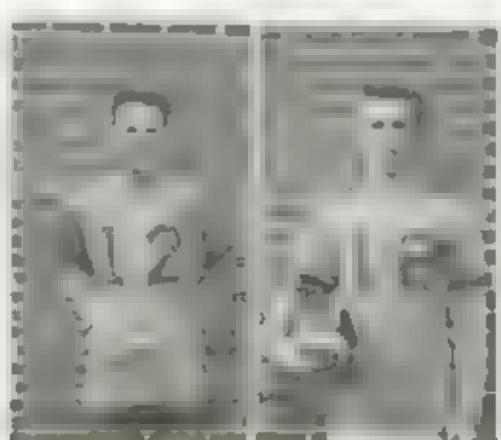
GUARDS - Kenny Walker
Joe Brown



TACKLE - Clinard Howard
Floyd Greene



GUARD - Jimmy Mullis
CENTER - William Long



GUARD - Joe Gobble HALFBACK - Z. N. Anderson



Edith Smith



Doris McDaniel - Patty Taylor
Co-Captains



Julia Allen

Girls' Basketball



Floretta Collette



Emma Jo Pope, Manager
Mrs. Flake Hayes, Coach



Lorraine
McDaniel

Carol
Miller



Katherine
Parrish

Linda
Owings

Alice Anderson

Sue
Howard

Lynda
Crawford



Boys' Basketball 1

KNEELING: Kenneth Howell, Captain; Brye Seil, Morgan Chaffin, Denny Rollins, Jimmy Kelly, Duffy Daniels.
STANDING: Mackie Deadmon, Alton Sheek, Henry Shutt, Brevard Arndt, H. T. Meroney, Z. N. Anderson.



Girls' Basketball 1

FIRST ROW - KNEELING: Doris McDaniel, Co-Captain; Julia Allen, Yvonne Hendrix, Betty Jo Smoot, Peggy Harris, Carmen Rice, Nancy Cozart, Patty Taylor, Co-Captain. SECOND ROW - KNEELING: Ann Hendrix, Janie Greene, Gail Rice, Linda Hartley, Gene Madison, Peggy Wall, Floretta Collette. STANDING: Alice Anderson, Edith Smith, Lynda Crawford, Katherine Parrish, Linda Owings, Sue Howard, Lorraine McDaniel, Carol Miller.



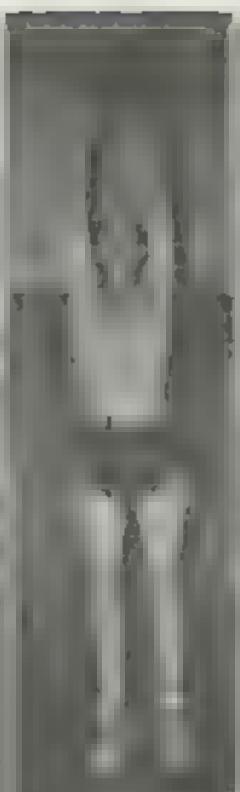
Mackie
Deadmon



Jimmy
Kelly



Alton Sneek



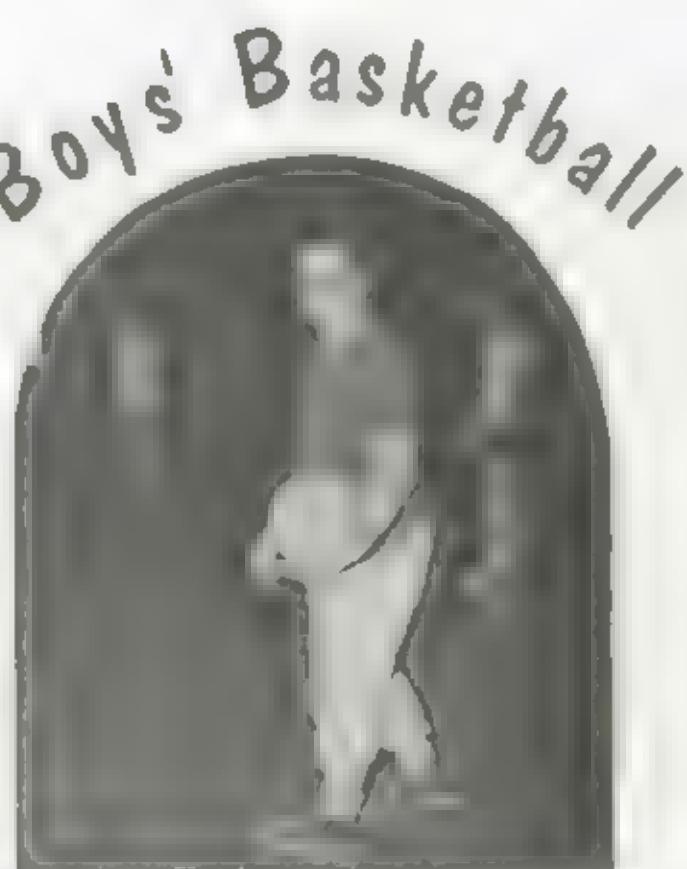
Denny
Rollins



H. T.
Meraney



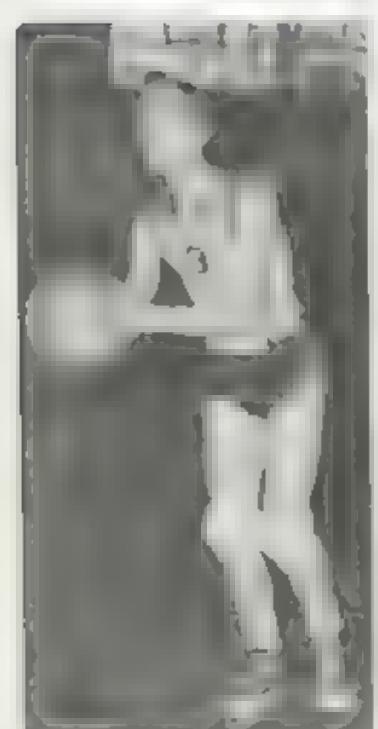
Morgan Chaffin



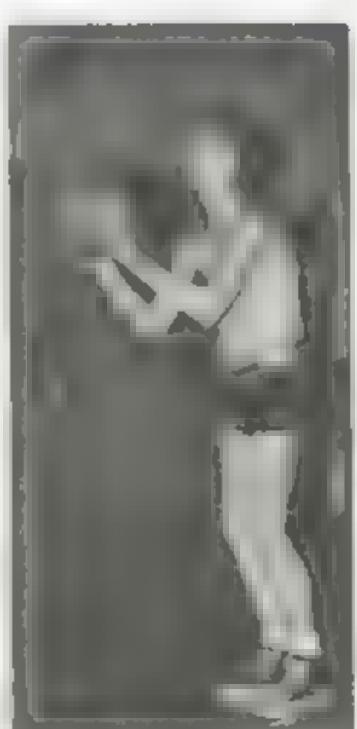
Coach, Mr. Peeler



Z.N. Anderson



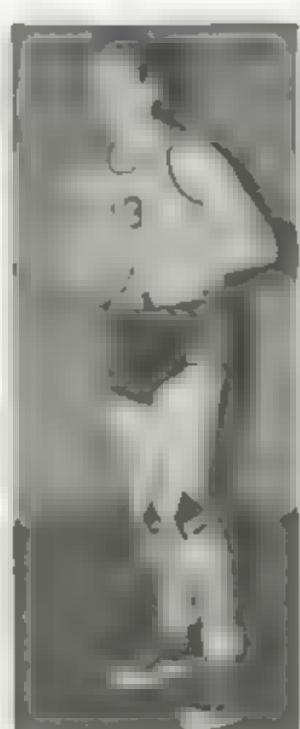
Henry
Shutt



Duffy
Daniels



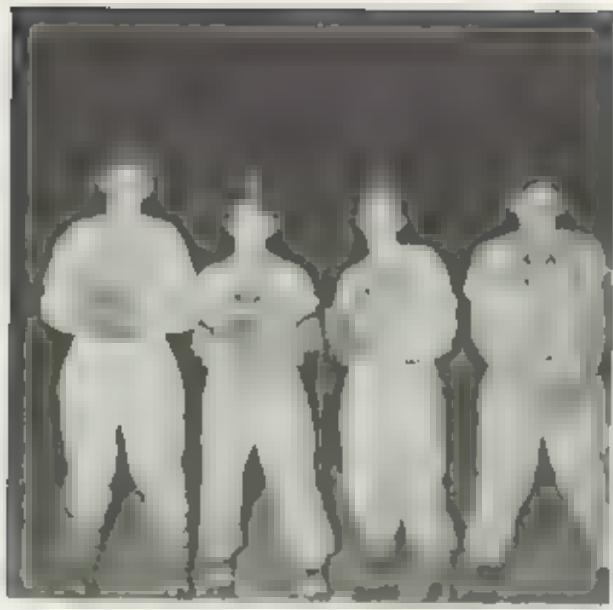
Kenneth
Howell
Captain



Brevard
Arndt



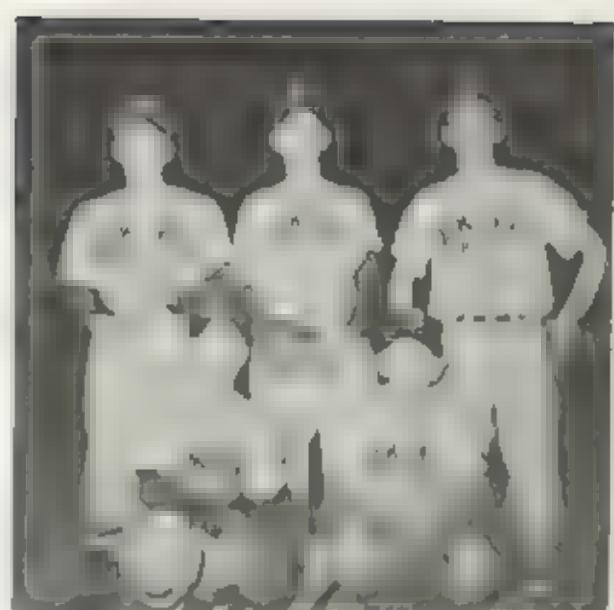
Billy
Sell



Outfielders -- Jimmy Kelly, Kenny Walker, Atton Sheek, Charles Messick.

1955 Schedule

		M. V.
T	Rockwell	3 - 8
H	Mills Home	11 - 2
H	Rockwell	17 - 0
H	Advance	6 - 3
T	Griffith	10 - 1
H	Davis-Townsend	14 - 2
T	Advance	3 - 6
T	Cooleemee	14 - 3
H	Griffith	3 - 1



Infielders -- Kneeling: Z. N. Anderson, Lester Allen. Standing: Darwin Allen, Henry Shutt, Mackie Deadmon.



Manager Everette Kelly



1955 Baseball Team



Coach Mr. Peeler



Utility Fielders -- Kneeling: Joe Gobble, Clinard Howard, Johnny Mason. Standing: Dickie Nail, Earl Draughn, Walker Stickney, Joe Brown.

H	Norwood	3 - 0
T	Farmington	9 - 3
T	Mills Home	12 - 0
H	Cooleemee	7 - 0
T	Norwood	2 - 0
H	Farmington	5 - 0



Pitchers -- Billy Sell, Kenny Howell, H. T. Merony.



Monogram Club

Jimmy Kelly, President; Janice Smoot, Secretary; Henry Shutt, Treasurer; Coach Peeler, Sponsor.



Homecoming Queen 1955

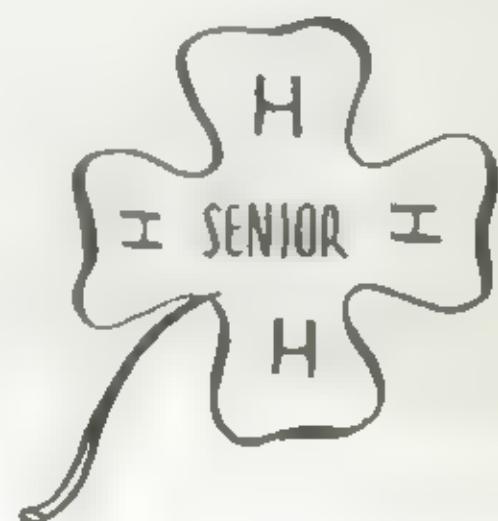
Carol Miller, Queen, (center), Julio Allen, Attendant, (left), Martha McDaniel, Attendant, (right).

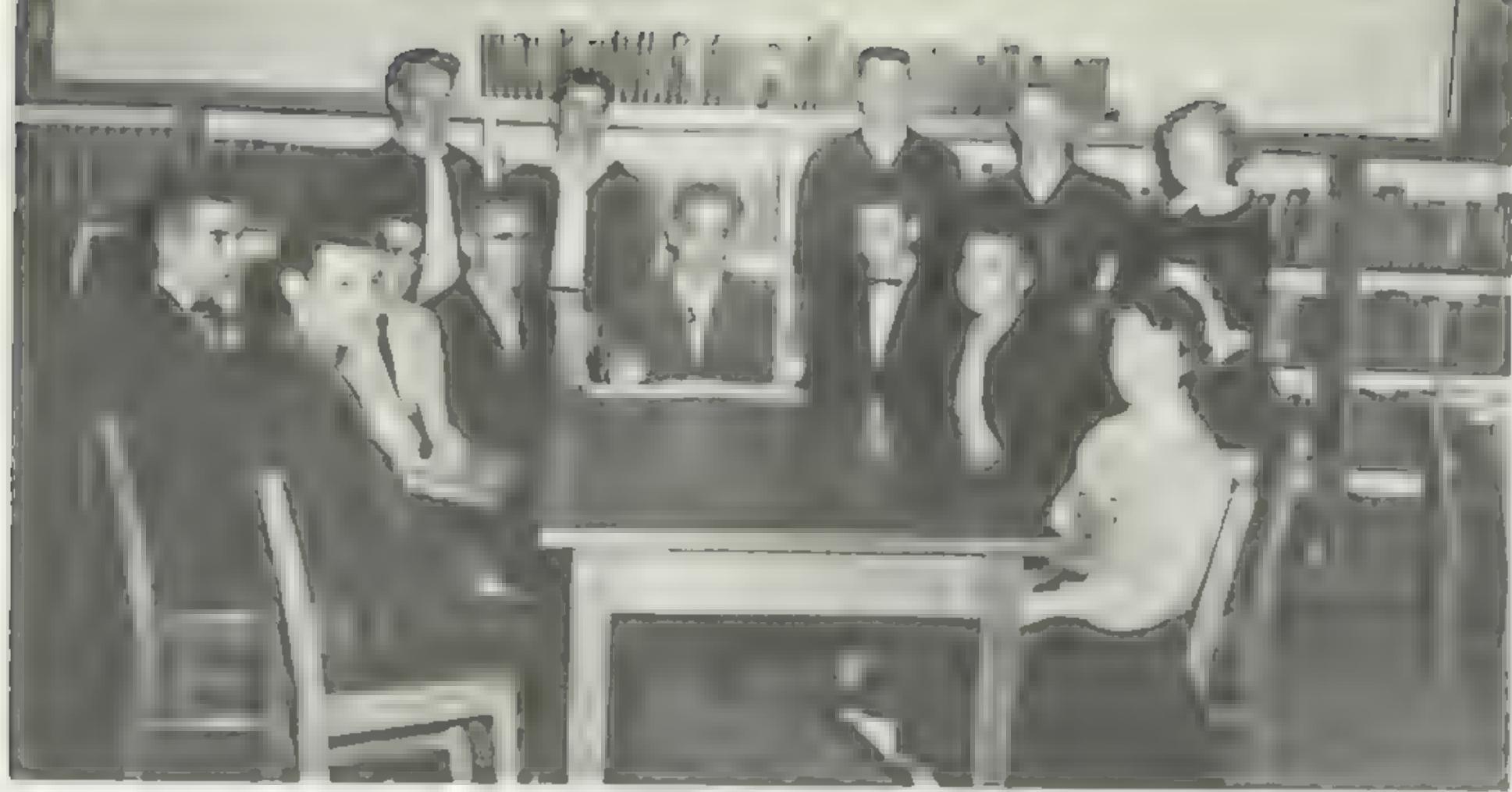
ACTIVITIES



The Mocksvillian Staff

Mrs. Helen Crenshaw, Sponsor; Henry Shutt, Editor-in-Chief; Gaither Sanford, Business Manager.





Student Council

President, Billy Sell; Vice-President, Henry Shutt; Sponsor, Mr. Farthing, Principal.



Hi-Life Staff

SEATED: Miss Brumfield, Sponsor; Henry Shutt, Sports Editor; Bob Kiger, Art Editor; Lynda Crawford, Feature Editor; Betty Lou Edwards, Editor; Jeanette Butner, Business Manager; Yvonne Hutchins, Grammar Grade Reporter; Shelby Richardson, News Editor; Gail Walker, Grade Reporter; Julia Allen, Publicity Chairman; Mrs. Wagner, Sponsor.



Beta Club

SEATED: Harriet Tutterow, Molly Waters, Doris McDaniel, Nancy Reavis, June Green, Julia Allen, Vice-President, Christine Beauchamp, Secretary; Yvonne Hutchins, Patricia Smith, Kathleen Gaither, Shelby Richardson, Betty Lou Edwards. STANDING: Miss Green, Sponsor; Gaither Sanford, Lynda Crawford, Alton Sheek, Gail Walker, Billy Sell, Henry Shutt, President; Anne Richardson, Johnny Etchison, Linda Owings, Bob Kiger, Helen Laird, Faye Wilson.



Marshals 1955

Johnny Etchison, Lynda Crawford, Betty Lou Edwards, Co-Chief, Henry Shutt, Co-Chief; Alton Sheek, Gaither Sanford.



F.H.A.

FRONT ROW: Sylvia Stroud, Reporter; Ruth Greene, Parliamentarian; Anne Richardson, Vice-President; Lynda Crawford, President; Martha McDaniel, Secretary; Julia Allen, Treasurer; Sponsor, Miss Greene.



F.F.A.

KNEELING: Mr. Randall, Sponsor; Wade Dyson, Vice-President; Grady White, Reporter; Floyd Greene, President; Bobby Talbert, Sentinel; George Mabe, Secretary; Marshall Angell, Treasurer (not shown).



Senior 4-H Club

SEATED: Sylvia Stroud, Song Leader; J. T. Smith, Secretary & Treasurer; Lynda Crawford, Song Leader; Johnny Etchison, President; Johnny Ward, Vice-President; Christine Beauchamp, Reporter.



Commercial Club

President, Julia Allen; Vice-President, Jeanette Butner; Secretary & Treasurer, Anne Richardson; Mrs. Wagner, Sponsor.



Glee Club

Mrs. Eugene Smith, Sponsor; Gaither Sanford, President; Chiquita Murray, Secretary;
Jimmy Kelly, Treasurer.



Music Teachers

Mrs. Eugene Smith
Miss Louise Stroud



Library Assistants

Mrs. Helen Crenshaw - Librarian



Office Assistants

SEATED: Mr. Farthing, Principal. STANDING: Marcia Lagle, Sue Howard, Sylvia Stroud, Gail Furches, Christine Beauchamp, Anne Richardson.



Bus Drivers

KNEELING: Christine Beauchamp, Yvonne Hutchins. STANDING: Billy O'Neal, Robert Mabe, Gene Plott, Gaither Sanford, Denny Rollins, Sam Walker, Tennyson Anderson.



Safety Patrol

SEATED: Jimmy Dickerson, Everette Kelly, Tommy Tutterow. STANDING: Kenneth Cassidy, Richard Shores, Michael McClamrock, Lance Beasley, Darrell Cook, W. A. Beck, John Carl Marshall.

THE HANES LINE

**Furniture for
Schools,
Colleges,
Institutions**



HANES

CHAIR & FURNITURE CO., INC.

MOCKSVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

BANK OF DAVIE

BUILDING WITH DAVIE FOR OVER 50 YEARS

MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

COMPLIMENTS OF

HORN OIL COMPANY

CITIES SERVICE DISTRIBUTOR

GASOLINE KEROSENE OIL AND PETROLEUM PRODUCTS

CITIES SERVICE TIRES AND TUBES

COMPLETE GLASSWORK A SPECIALTY

PHONE 31

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

C. C. SANFORD SONS COMPANY

"THE HOME OF BETTER MERCHANDISE FOR 89 YEARS"

SANFORD MOTOR COMPANY

"FORD DEALERS SINCE 1913"

RANKIN-SANFORD IMPLEMENT COMPANY

"FARMALL TRACTORS AND MCCORMICK FARM EQUIPMENT"

SANFORD-MANDO COMPANY

"PLUMBING - HEATING ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES"

COMPLIMENTS OF

MOCKSVILLE FEED MILLS, INC.

FOR GREATER PROFITS

USE

SELECTED BRAND FEEDS

SELECTED BRAND FEEDS ARE LABORATORY TESTED

SELECTED FEEDS ARE FARM PROVED

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

THE MOCKSVILLE ENTERPRISE

"DAVIE'S LARGEST NEWSPAPER"

PHONE 84

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

COMPLIMENTS OF

J. P. GREEN MILLING COMPANY

FLOUR • MEAL • GRAIN AND ALL MASHES

DEALER IN LARRO FEEDS

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

COMPLIMENTS OF

THE SODA SHOPPE

JOHN WATERS

PHONE 34

HENDRICKS & MERRELL FURNITURE CO.

"WHERE COMFORT AND ECONOMY MEET"

PHONE 342

701 WILKESBORO STREET

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

SUCCESS AND BEST WISHES

TO THE CLASS OF 1956

PENNINGTON CHEVROLET CO.

SALES AND SERVICE

O. K. POPE, PRESIDENT

J. W. PENNINGTON, SECRETARY
AND TREASURER

MARTIN BROTHERS

GENERAL MERCHANDISE

HOME UTILITY TOOLS

JOHN DEERE FARM MACHINERY

FERTILIZERS - METAL ROOFING

PHONE 99

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA



ROUND MEADOW

Snapshots

C's BAR-B-Q

REMEMBER THE GOOD OLD TIMES

REMEMBER "C'S"

DANIEL FURNITURE

and

ELECTRIC COMPANY

HOTPOINT APPLIANCES

OVERHEAD BRIDGE - SOUTH MAIN STREET

PHONE 198

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

BOWLES AND YORK

Sinclair Service Station

"SERVICE WITH A SMILE"

WASHING - GREASING - OIL CHANGE

TIRES - BATTERIES & ACCESSORIES

"WE APPRECIATE YOUR BUSINESS"

PHONE 394

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

ALLISON-JOHNSON COMPANY

MEATS AND GROCERIES

"WE DELIVER THE GOODS"

PHONE 111

COMPLIMENTS OF

THE GIFT SHOP AND LESLIE'S MEN'S SHOP

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

MOCKSVILLE CASH STORE**"ON THE SQUARE"**

PHONE 205

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

IRVIN PONTIAC COMPANY

TELEPHONE 35

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

R. O. KIGER'S GROCERY

FRESH MEATS - NOTIONS - GROCERIES

FEED AND FLOUR - GAS - OIL

ICE CREAM AND DRINKS

PHONE 101

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

BUCK'S BAR-B-Q

WINSTON-SALEM HIGHWAY

PHONE SMITH GROVE EXCHANGE 33122

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

DAVIE FURNITURE COMPANY

COMPLETE HOME FURNISHINGS

"ON THE SQUARE"

PHONE 72

MOCKSVILLE NORTH CAROLINA

COOLEEMEE NOR. H. CAROLINA

DAVIE FEED & SEED COMPANYPURINA CHOWS - BABY CHICKS
SANITATIONDEPOT STREET
PHONE 17

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

WILKINS DRUG COMPANY

THE REXALL STORE

DRUGS - PRESCRIPTIONS

VETERINARY SUPPLIES

PHONE 21 AND 400

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

FIRESTONE HOME & AUTO SUPPLY

G. H. C. SHUTT, OWNER

PHONE 112

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA



PRINCESS THEATER

MOTION PICTURES AT THEIR BEST

PHONE 182

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

COMPLIMENTS OF

THE MOCKSVILLE GRILL

"ALWAYS SERVES GOOD FOOD"

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

NORTH CAROLINA

COMPLIMENTS OF

HALL DRUG COMPANY

"THE LINK BETWEEN YOUR DOCTOR AND YOU"

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

PHONE 311

SMOOT SHELL SERVICE

PHONE 311

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

THE FLOWER SHOP

T. C. GRAHAM AND H. R. EATON

PHONE 113

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

FOR 56 YEARS

THE DAVIE RECORD

HAS BEEN ADVOCATING BETTER ROADS
BETTER SCHOOLS AND A BETTER WORLD

IN WHICH TO LIVE

MILLER'S BAR-B-Q

STATESVILLE ROAD

PHONE 371-W

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

WALKER'S SUPER MARKET

WALK IN-WALK OUT WITH BARGAINS

"WE HAVE A COMPLETE LINE OF
FRESH MEATS - GARDEN FRESH
VEGETABLES AND STAPLE GROCERIES"

PHONE 311

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

NORTH CAROLINA

BOGER PURE SERVICE

AUTO ACCESSORIES - PURE OIL PRODUCTS

KURFEES PAINTS

PHONE 80

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

COMPLIMENTS OF

THE AMERICAN CAFE

"THE PLACE WHERE FRIENDS MEET TO EAT"

SEE OUR NEW DINING ROOM

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

NORTH CAROLINA

COMPLIMENTS OF

WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE STORE

GEORGE ROWLAND, OWNER

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

HEFFNER'S FOODLAND

SUPER MARKET - GROCERIES - MEATS

FRESH VEGETABLES

NORTH CAROLINA

DAVIE FREEZER LOCKER, INC.

FREEZER LOCKERS -- MEAT CURING

COLD STORAGE -- POULTRY DRESSING

PHONE 240

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

COMPLIMENTS OF

B. C. MOORE & SONS

"BUY FROM MOORE & SAVE MORE"

MOCKSVILLE'S NEWEST AND MOST MODERN
DEPARTMENT STORE

NORTH CAROLINA

COMPLIMENTS OF

FOSTER & DEADMON SHELL SERVICE

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

COMPLIMENTS OF

DAVIE TRACTOR AND IMPLEMENT COMPANY

FORD TRACTORS

NORTH CAROLINA

T. O. MYERS & SON

COTTON GINNER & BUYERS

COTTONSEED DELINTED & TREATED

PHONE 89

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

DAVIE AUTO PARTS CO.

WHOLESALE

PARTS - SUPPLIES - EQUIPMENT

GOODYEAR TIRES - COMPLETE RECAPPING

AND REPAIR SERVICE

PHONE 215

MILLER-EVANS HARDWARE CO.

PHONE 65

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

COMPLIMENTS OF

**SHEFFIELD
FURNITURE COMPANY**

COMPLETE HOME FURNISHINGS

HOT POINT APPLIANCES

LOCATED AT SHEFFIELD

J. T. SMITH, OWNER
PHONE 3-3465

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

COMPLIMENTS OF

**J. T. SMITH
UPHOLSTERY COMPANY**

MANUFACTURERS OF

LIVING ROOM FURNITURE

PHONE 3-3465
P. O. BOX 513

MOCKSVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA

Last Will and Testament

We, the members of the Senior Class of nineteen hundred fifty-six, of the city of Mocksville, state of North Carolina, being of sound mind, and realizing that we are about to depart from this place, do therefore make, on a , publish, and declare this to be our Last Will and Testament.

I, Donald Gaston Allen, will my title of 'most dignified' to Lester Allen. Don't become conceited, Lester.

I, Julia Marie Allen, bequeath my friendly and pleasant smile to my sister, Louise. May she be as happy as I have been with it.

I, Tennyson Franklin Anderson, leave to Joe Gobble my seat in Biology. Do not abuse it.

I, Nancy Carolyn Bates, will my nickname, "Shorty" to Barbara Fetebee.

I, Lillie Christine Beauchamp, bequeath my position as bus driver of No. 25 to anyone who can stand those noisy kids.

I, Mary Ermon Beauchamp, will my interests in book keeping to Judy Laird.

I, Sarah Coleen Blackwelder, leave my giggles to Wanda Gobble although she has enough of her own.

I, Mary Alice Boger, bequeath my height to Floretta Collette if she wishes to use it.

I, Nancy Jeanette Butner, will my love for Virginia to anyone who has a friend there.

I, Rebeca Anne Carter, leave to Ruth Greene my pretty brown eyes and all my friendly ways.

I, Abner Morgan Chaffin, will my height to Walker Stickney unless he is as tall as I am when he becomes a Senior.

I, Hazel Annette Clement, bequeath my ability to leave school at lunch to my sister, Martha.

I, Lynda Jean Crawford, leave my cheerful disposition and pleasing personality to Carmen Rice to combine with hers.

I, Melver Lee Culler, will my desire for graduation time to come to Denny Rollins.

I, Betty Lou Edwards, bequeath all my interests in school work and my studious ways to Sylvia Stroud.

I, John Walter Etchison, will my ability to make good grades to Jerry Reavis.

I, Betty Jo Foster, leave my ability to miss school a lot and make good grades to Dallas Groce.

I, Mary Jo Ann Gaither, will my faithfulness to my boyfriend who is away working, to anyone who is as unfortunate as this.

I, Kathleen Chrystal Gaither, leave my ability to stay away from Cooleemee to anyone who needs to take advantage of it.

I, Marshall Everette Glasscock, leave my place in agriculture class to Amos Brown.

I, Floyd Eugene Greene, bequeath my title as wittiest of the Senior Class to Joe Brown.

I, Violet June Green, will to Emma Jo Pope my daily task of fixing the newspapers on the rack in the library.

I, Peerie Dean Harris bequeath my saying "I smell flowers; here comes Rosebud," to Elsie Dean Johnson.

I, Kenneth Wayne Howell leave my baseball outfit to Mackie Deadmon.

I, Yvonne Hutchins, leave my 4H awards to anyone who has the patience to work for them as I did.

I, Lettie Louise Keaton, will my quiet ways to Jo Ann Frye.

I, James Edward Kelly, Jr., will my position on the football team to anyone who will work hard for it.

I, William Robert Kiger, leave my black wavy hair to Gene Plotto to mix with his red.

I, Marcia Arlene Lagle, will my ability to date different boys to whoever likes to have fun.

I, Helen Virginia Laird, will my quiet ways to Audrey Bailey. This should please the teachers.

I, James Robert Mabe, will my interests in ninth grade girls, especially one, to Bill Collette.

I, Sarah Edyth Marshall, will my happy-go-lucky ways

to Barbara Ann Hendrix to combine with her own.

I, Doris Carolyn McDaniel, bequeath my position on the basketball team to my sister Lorraine if she will do her best.

I, Jean Carol Miller, will my title of "Homecoming Queen" to Chiquita Murray.

I, William Franklin O'Neal, leave to Tony Forrest my ability to put up with noisy kids on the school bus.

I, Linda Jane Owings, will my beloved little grey Plymouth to Alice Anderson knowing that she will have as much fun driving it as I have.

I, Nancy Elizabeth Reavis, will my neatness to Martha McDaniel, who really doesn't need it.

I, Homer Ray Reeves, will my love for black-headed girls to anyone who can win them.

I, Ann Carolyn Reavis, leave my air-mail stationery to my sister, Patsy so she may write to service boys.

I, Molly Anne Richardson, will my position in the office to Nancy Cozart.

I, Shelby Jean Richardson, leave to Janie Beck my ability to make friends.

I, Ona Grey Robertson, will the use of my Daddy's car to my sister, Linda. Take good care of it.

I, Lash Gaither Sanford, Jr., will my black wavy hair to William Long so that it may remain in the family.

I, William Jennings Bryan Sell, Jr., do hereby bequeath my love for football to Dickie Nail. May he enjoy it as much as I.

I, Bonnie Lou Shaw, leave my interest in furloughs to anyone who is unlucky enough to have a boyfriend in service.

I, Alton Jackson Sheek, bequeath my Boy Scout Awards to Phillip Rowland.

I, George Henry Clay Shutt, 3rd, leave my ability to be late for class to my sister Terry so she may uphold the family tradition.

I, Janice Inez Smith, will my way of making things sound funny to whoever is bashful enough to need it.

I, Joan Carol Smith leave my expressive eyes to Janice Smoot. May they attract to boy's attention.

I, John Thomas Smith, Jr., bequeath my title of "best dressed" to Jimmy Spillman.

I, Patricia Ann Smith, will my inability to grow tall to Katherine Parish.

I, Bobby Dewayne Talbert, will my ability to get along with the teachers to Wayne Bowles.

I, Parrie Coleen Taylor, bequeath my ability to always have friends to Sue Howard.

I, Harriet Ruth Tutterow, leave my ability to talk and get by with it to Alice Call.

I, Bailey Rose Walker, bequeath my fullback position on the football team to Ramey Kemp with the hopes that he will make first string next year.

I, Rachel Carl Walker will my ability to make good grades to my brother, Sam, provided he will put it to use and be able to graduate with the class of '57.

I, Martha Rose Waters, will my witty disposition to the entire Junior Class so it may always be lively.

I, Lois Mae Whitaker, leave a couple inches of my height to my brother, Alvin.

I, Thomas Daird Whitaker, will my job in the cafeteria to anyone who dislikes study hall.

I, Robbie Geraldine White, will my ability to eat everything I want and stay slim to any girl who has to count her calories.

I, Roy Grady White will my comb to Darne I. Gobble provided he will keep his hair combed as well as I have.

I, Janet Faye Wilson, leave my desire to make friends and to have a good time to Yvonne Hendrix.

We, the members of the Senior Class of 1956, do hereby proclaim this to be the only valid statement of our Last Will and Testament.

Faye Wilson, Testator

Annual

Staff



STANDING: Patty Taylor, Snapshot Editor; Molly Waters, Art Editor. SEATED: Nancy Reavis, Literary Editor.



STANDING: Jimmy Kelly, Sports Editor, Alton Sheek, Activities Editor. SEATED: Julia Allen, Sports Editor.



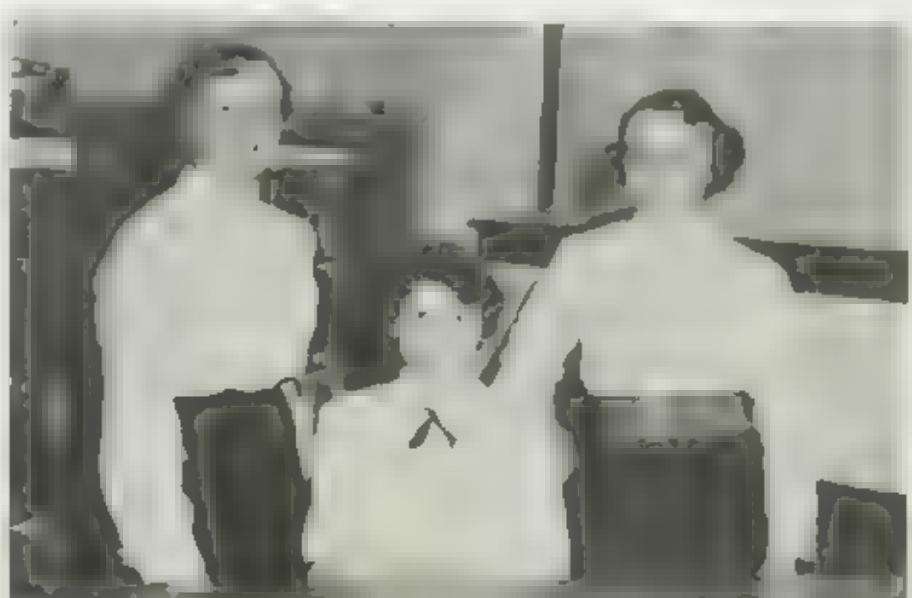
Henry Shutt, Editor-In-Chief; Lynda Crawford, Associate Editor.



Anne Richardson, Associate Business Manager; Gaither Sanford, Business Manager.



Typist -- Doris McDaniel, Ora Grey Robertson.



STANDING: Yvonne Hutchins, Prophet, Faye Wilson, Testator. SEATED: Gail Walker, Historian.

R eflections

Almost a quarter of a century has passed since USECO published its first school annual. As we review those pages of yesteryear, a pleasant thought comes to mind—on some tomorrow this, the nineteen hundred and fifty-six edition, will take its place in your heart as a pictorial history of the "good ole' days."

We know this book will increase in value with the passing of each year, and are honored to have played a part in recording it.

By Far the Greatest Name in Yearbooks

**UNIVERSITY
SUPPLY and
EQUIPMENT
C.
O.**

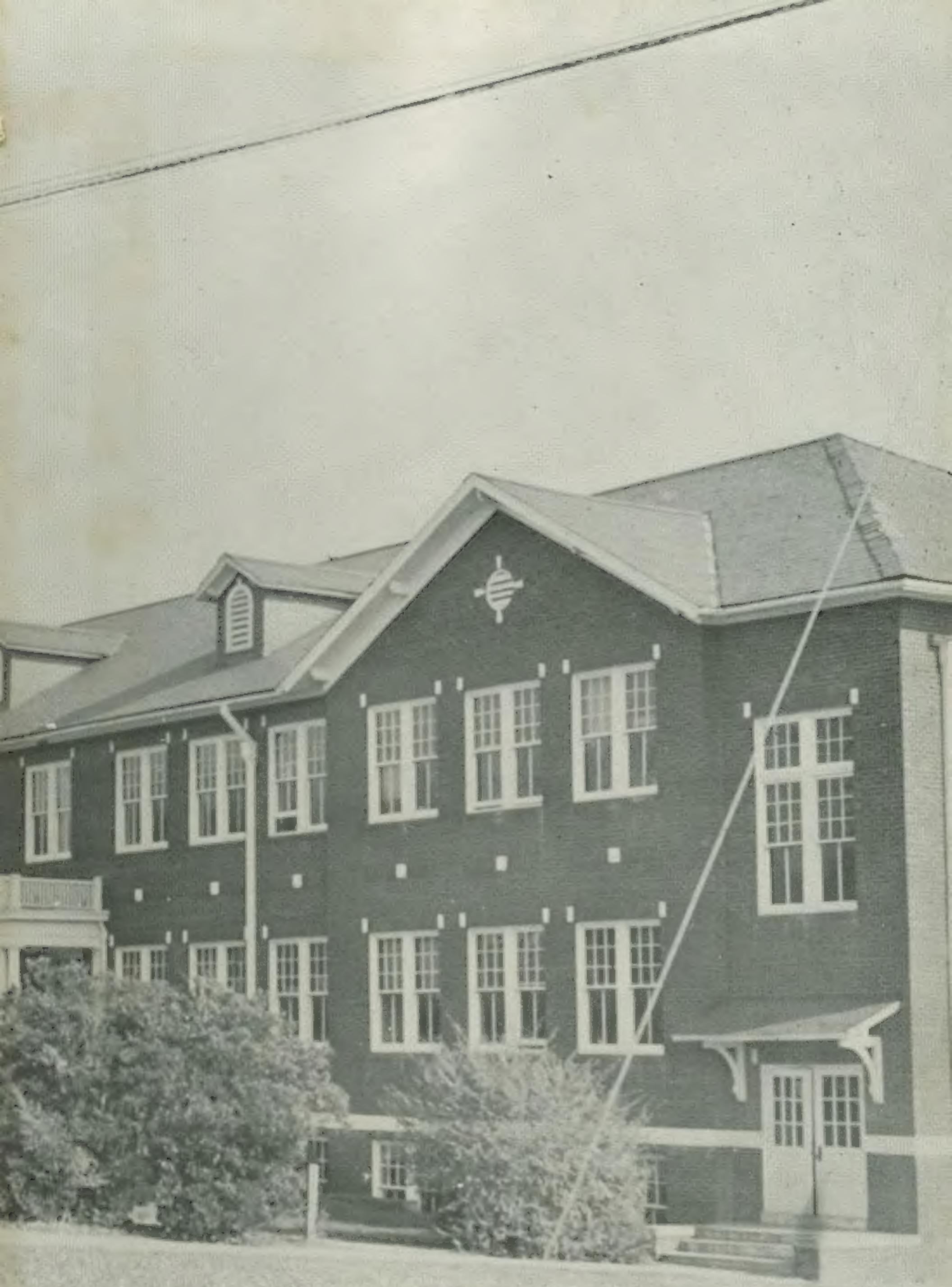
6001 E. Rosedale • Fort Worth, Texas













UNIVERSITY
COMPANY OF EDINBURGH LTD